

## SALE OF SAAR MINES TO GERMANY, AS AID TO FRANC, PROPOSED

Repurchase for Gold to  
Be Offered at Geneva  
as New Solution.

## CONSENT OF FRANCE DETERMINING FACTOR

Plan Would Provide Supply of  
Coal for French Needs  
Under League Control.

By ALBERT W. FOX.

A new move to expedite economic stability in Europe by assisting the restoration of the French franc is to be discussed at Geneva. It involves repurchase by Germany of the French government's rights of ownership in the mines situated in the Saar basin, which mines were ceded to France under the Versailles treaty "as compensation for the destruction of the coal mines in the north of France and as part payment toward the total reparation due from Germany for the damage resulting from the war."

The price paid would be determined by three experts, one Frenchman, one German and a person who shall be neither a German or a Frenchman, to be selected by the council of the League of Nations. Under the proposed arrangement, the French government and French nations "shall have the right to purchase such amount of coal of the Saar basin as their industrial and domestic needs are found to require. An equitable arrangement regarding amounts of coal, duration of contract, and prices will be fixed in due time by the council of the League of Nations," according to the projected plan.

More Depends on France.

France's attitude toward the proposal is expected to be the determining factor with respect to its practicability at this time. The reparations commission would have to endorse it and the League of Nations would have to pass upon it, but difficulties are not anticipated from these latter quarters if the French government believes the proposition to be beneficial to France at this critical time, when French currency is wavering on the border line between rehabilitation and chaos.

At first flush it would appear as if France would be giving back the fruits of victory by accepting the plan. But examination of the Versailles treaty shows that this is not the case. The treaty ceded ownership of the mines to France, but there is a string attached to this ownership. It is provided in the treaty that the population in the territory of the Saar basin shall hold a plebiscite "at the termination of a period of fifteen years from the coming into force of the present treaty."

This means that in 1935 a plebiscite will be held by the population to determine whether they favor maintenance of the régime established by the treaty or whether they favor union with France or union with Germany. It is conceded that if the population were to vote now the plebiscite would register about 99 and 9-10 per cent for union with Germany. And it is likewise conceded that the same ratio will in all probability exist in 1935.

Treaty Provides Repurchase.

It is specifically provided in the treaty that if the territory of the Saar basin goes back to Germany, "France's rights of ownership in the mines situated in such part of the territory will be repurchased by Germany in their entirety at a price payable in gold." The commission of three experts, already referred to, will determine the price.

Thus, the proposal to have Germany buy back the mines in the near future merely means advancing the date of this purchase, according to those who favor the plan, and enabling France to obtain many millions in gold at a time when these millions are of vital importance to her in saving the franc and balancing her budget. The amount of gold which France would obtain, it is pointed out, would be sufficient to enable her to put her financial house in order and have enough on hand to ratify the Mellon-Berenger debt agreement without feeling the pinch of the first payments. Ultimate ratification of this agreement is expected, as French statesmen privately admit that there is no other way out of France's financial distress, but the additional need of

## Naval Ace to Conduct Own Campaign for Speed Marks

Lieut. A. J. Williams Given Leave to Try to Regain Air  
Records Held by French—Must Fly Faster  
Than 278 Miles an Hour.

Lieut. Alfred J. Williams, naval flying ace, will conduct a campaign of his own this year to bring all the speed records back to this country, it was made known last night.

He has been granted an indefinite leave of absence from the service, but has the consent of the Secretary of Navy for his independent trials.

A special plane, capable of being converted into a seaplane, and designed for speed, is now under construction, financed by New York friends of the officer.

If the plane is constructed in time he plans to make his first attempt in the Norfolk, Va., air competitions this fall. Otherwise he will enter other contests. It is believed the plane will be ready in two or three months.

His goal is to lower all existing air speed records, but he wants particularly to wrest back the record for three kilometers which he lost to Bonet, the Frenchman, when the latter made a speed of 278 miles an hour last year.

Lieut. Williams' plan to try for

### RUM SHIP INFORMERS ARE TO SHARE IN FINES

Ten Days Illness of Indiges-  
tion Proves Fatal at His  
Home in Maine.

### IN POLITICS MANY YEARS

West Poland, Maine, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—United States Senator Bert M. Fernald died late today at his home here after an illness of ten days. He was in his sixtieth ninth year.

The end had been expected for several days and all the members of his immediate family were at the bedside. After the adjournment of Congress he returned home greatly wearied and recently intense indigestion developed which later affected his heart.

Overcoming obstacles was a steady occupation with Bert M. Fernald, who became governor of his State and one of its representatives in the United States Senate. He was crippled from boyhood.

After undergoing three operations he took his first step at the age of 6 years. Steady exercise and gymnasium work enabled him to gain such health and strength that he became a leader in schoolboy games.

When he was 17 years old the death of his father cut short his preparation for college at Hebron academy. He went to Boston for a brief business course, taught school for three years and took over the management of the farm which was first carved out of the wilderness by his great-great-grandfather in 1795.

He paid particular attention to the raising of dairy cows and gradually established one of the best Holstein herds in the State.

Sensing the possibilities in the growing of sweet corn in Maine he started a corn cannery. The firm which he established now operates

### AGED COUPLE DEAD SITTING AT A TABLE

Man and Wife Were Eating  
Meal; 7 Gas Jets Open;  
Foul Play Seen.

New York, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—A strange tableau of death, such as a fiction writer might work up from his imagination, was witnessed by police today in a West Side tenement apartment.

An aged man and his wife, found dead from gas, were seated at a dining table, the woman with a partly filled bowl of soup before her and a spoon in her hand, and the man, opposite her, with a piece of bread in his hand. Police found seven open gas jets in the apartment. They suspect foul play.

The couple were Tony Matthews, 60 years old, and his wife, Agnes, 65 years old. They apparently had been dead some time.

### Huston Thompson Undergoes Operation

Denver, Colo., Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Huston Thompson, chairman of the Federal Trade Commission, today underwent an operation to a fractured collar bone.

He was hurt in an automobile accident last Friday.

### Driver Rolls Dice In Producing Fine

Maybe it was force of habit, maybe just an accident. In either case, when Allen Staton, colored, lost \$5 to Judge Hitt on speed charge last night in traffic court, two enormous dice rolled from his pocket and clattered across the bar of justice.

A Justice Hitt pronounced a fine of \$8 on the speeding charge, but reduced the penalty to \$5 when that was all the cash the defendant could produce. During Staton's search for funds the dice were brought forth and went rolling across the floor. A charge against Staton of driving without a permit was continued at the request of his attorney.

Amundson Airship  
Is Bought by Italy

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### HAL-MILLS DIARY NOTES FOUND HERE BRANDED AS FALES

### Officials Intimate Entries Made After Murder; Dates Changed.

### TITLE OF PIG WOMAN CONFLICTS WITH BOOK

Willie Stevens and Henry Car-  
penter Lose in First Move  
for Bail.

Somerville, N. J., Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Six pages of a diary found in Washington and sent to investigators of the Hall-Mills murder contained entries relating to the mystery. Inspector Underwood, one of the investigators, said he considered the diary a fake, although he thought it might have been written recently by some one "on the inside." The diary was found in a rubbish can last week. It contains incoherent passages and misspelled words.

Under date of September 18, 1922, the diary says:

"Something terrible has hap-  
pened. Rev. Hall and Mrs. Mills  
were killed. I asked Frank what  
he thought about it. He told me  
to shut up and not talk about it.  
I ask again and he said well, if  
you must no here it is. We heard  
a noise so we put out our fire we  
had where we played crap and  
stud coin and laid low. We saw a  
lady and a man walking. Then  
we heard machines and three people  
got out of it. There seemed to  
be a large lady in a gray cape and  
a bushy head fellow and another  
fellow."

Saw Pig Woman.

"They flashed a flashlight and we  
saw what they called the pig woman.  
Then we heard shots. Then  
the woman tore up papers on the  
dead body. They got into the  
machine and blew but before they  
did that they buried the gun and  
lyre is the gun. I ask if you saw  
it was almost broken. If you talk I  
will cut out your tongue. He said  
if they get the pig woman out of  
the way they are safe. She is the  
only one who knows anything about  
the murder."

On October 23, "The names of  
the fellows that saw the murder  
are Sam, on Belmont street, Iklie,  
on Hazel street, and my husband."  
There were other entries regard-  
ing the love affairs between the  
Rev. Mr. Hall and Mrs. Mills.

Lodge First Bail Plea.

Newark, N. J., Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Willie Stevens and Henry de Bruyere Carpenter, held in Somer-  
erset county jail, at Somerville, on

charge that they murdered the Rev. Edward W. Hall and Mrs. Patterson Mills, today lost their first move for bail.

Chief Justice William S. Gummere, of the supreme court, before whom the appeal was made, pointed out that the motion should be made before Justice Charles W. Parker, whose circuit includes Somer-  
erset county, scene of the murders and where the prisoners were held last week, committed without bail for the grand jury.

Robert H. McCarter, chief of defense counsel, made efforts to communicate with Justice Parker in

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### NEW BRITISH EMBASSY ROUSES UNION LABOR

Fear Contracts May Go to  
Nonunion Builder Brings  
Protest to Envoy.

The sight of a steam shovel near  
the plot on which the new \$1,000,-  
000 British embassy is to be built  
threw organized labor into a tem-  
porary furor because of fears that

contracts for construction of the  
new embassy building had been  
awarded to a builder employing  
nonunion labor. Specifically the  
union men feared Harry Wardman  
had been given the contract.

Organized labor will boycott  
British goods if the embassy is  
built with "scab" help. Henry  
Miller, chairman of the adjustment  
committee of the Central Labor  
union, declared. The union will  
circumlocute organized labor through-  
out the United States, he said.

Protest already has been made  
to Sir Esme Howard, British Am-  
bassador, and the British govern-  
ment, and pleas have been sent to  
the Trades Union congress general  
council in Great Britain to persuade  
the union workers in building

### Beaded Caps for Knees Worn With Short Skirts

Paris, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—  
Skirts now end above the knees,  
that authority on women's wear,  
A. G. B. (or Art, Gout, Beaute)  
records, and they have scalloped  
edges which make them still  
more abbreviated.

This has brought caps for  
knees into vogue. They are em-  
brodered, beaded, laced and made  
to match the hem of the dress. They look rather like the  
frills of the knickerbockers that were  
worn in 1830, and they help to  
limit the revelations of a very  
short skirt.

Pur is being worn more and  
more. The latest notion is to  
treat squirrel, fox and rabbit  
with peroxide to give them the  
fashionable blond tint. A woman  
who dresses well will have a  
selection of colors, white, pale  
yellow and silver, a summer em-  
brace coat for motoring and an  
immaculately white winter er-  
mine wrap.

### SOUTHWEST FAR AHEAD IN POLL ON MARKET SITE

Waterfront Ballots Jump to  
929 Against 276 for  
Midcity Location.

### VOTING TO END SATURDAY

While proponents of various pro-  
posed new locations for the Cen-  
ter market district were advancing  
their arguments before the special

market-site committee of the  
Washington Chamber of Com-  
merce at a public hearing in the  
Home building, yesterday, the pub-  
lic, voting in The Post market-  
site poll, brought the total num-  
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When ballots were totaled by  
the market-site editor of The Post  
last night the count stood:

In favor of the Southwest site,  
929.

In favor of the midcity site, 276.

In favor of the Eckington, or  
Patterson tract site, 37.

In favor of various other sites,  
35.

The Post poll, which officials of  
the National Capital park and plan-  
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an important means of gauging pub-  
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The sudden jump ahead of the  
Southwest site was unexpected, al-  
though that site has consistently  
been ahead in the voting. The gap  
was widened yesterday by receipt of  
441 votes for that site, while  
only 54 ballots were registered for  
the midcity site.

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The hearing before the Chamber

of Commerce committee yesterday says:

"The situation continues the  
same as before the conference with  
President Calles. Services will not  
be resumed, because it is necessary

not only to discover a method to  
give instructions to priests without  
sacrificing the rights of the church,

but also to discover how to obviate  
the destruction of liberty of con-

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### EPISCOPATE HALTS PLANS TO RESUME MEXICAN SERVICES

### Insistence by Calles on Observance of New Laws Attacked.

### PRESIDENT'S STAND CHANGED, IT IS HELD

Church Statement on Parley  
Saturday Is Criticized As  
Hastily Issued

Mexico City, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—  
Hopes for a speedy settlement of  
the religious controversy were  
crushed today when the Roman  
Catholic episcopate unanimously de-  
cided not to resume church services  
for the present.

The situation as regards the  
church and the government, re-  
mains the same as before the con-  
ference held Saturday night be-  
tween President Calles and the  
representatives of the episcopate.

The boycott will continue and in the  
meantime the Catholic Church lead-  
ers will discuss plans for a congres-  
sional campaign with the object of  
amending the constitution.

No date has been fixed for fur-  
ther conferences with the president  
and there is some uncertainty as to  
whether there will be any more.

Stand Changed, Is View.

## MARKET SITE TALK AND MUSIC INCLUDED IN POST RADIO HOUR

"Know Mississippi Better" Group Contribute Songs and Negro Spirituals.

PIANO AND VIOLIN DUETS GIVE PROGRAM VARIETY

Lieut. Gov. Murphree Explains Advantages of State and Invites Public to Exhibit.

Southern songs and spirituals, sung by Southern negroes with the harmony which only they can achieve, vied with instrumental music and brief addresses in The Post radio hour, broadcast from station WRC from 6 to 7 o'clock last night.

The negro songs and spirituals were sung by a negro sextet accompanying the "know Mississippi better" train which arrived in Washington yesterday on a tour of the country with a delegation of State officials and business men to spread knowledge of their State.

Mrs. Elisabeth E. Poe, of The Post staff, gave another of her series of "little journeys around Washington." J. Bernard McDonnell, market site editor of The Post, discussed briefly the question of removal of the Center market district and its location elsewhere and Miss Ivalee Newell, violinist, who was accompanied at the piano by Christopher Tenley, made the program a varied one. Miss Newell played several selections with fine feeling and technique, achieving a fine tone from her instrument.

Invoices to Exhibition.

Lieut. Gov. Dennis Murphree of Mississippi, general chairman of the "Know Mississippi Better" tour, made a brief address, outlining the purpose of the tour and inviting the general public to visit the train in Union station between 12 and 2 o'clock today to see the State's exhibit. The train will leave here Wednesday morning.

Miss Gladys Hughes, of Moorehead, Miss., chosen in 1923 as the healthiest girl in the world out of 600,000 contestants, and Miss Inez Hardin, of Drew, Miss.—both of Sunshine county—chosen for a similar honor in Chicago in 1924, backed up the declarations of their State officers regarding the healthfulness of Mississippi. Miss Hughes played the piano and Miss Hardin made a brief talk.

Plea for country-wide support for the South's efforts to have the Muscle Shoals power project carried through was voiced by L. J. Fose, of the Mississippi State board of development; W. F. Bond, of Jackson, Miss., declared Mississippi has made greater progress in providing education for its people than any other State in the country.

### CIVIC LEADER DIES



Harris & Ewing.  
ARTHUR E. SEYMORE.

### A. F. SEYMORE DIES AT CHAMBER MEETING

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family were summoned to the scene of the death and were prostrated with grief.

Seymour was born in McGraw, N. Y., April 14, 1861. He came to this city 30 years ago and in 1919 was elected secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. His body was taken to an undertaking establishment but funeral arrangements had not been completed last night.

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Dr. N. C. Shreve asked Mr. Weld if his committee would not recommend to Congress and seek by every means to keep the market where it now is, south of Pennsylvania avenue, west of Seventh street southwest.

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Location of the market on a site not easily accessible to the Alexandria dealers, Mr. Preston said, would encourage the development of an independent market in Alexandria.

Mr. Driscoll and Harry King challenged statements by Mr. Preston, attempting to show that Alexandria already has its own food supply independent of Washington, and that the plea, consequently, was not one to be given any considerable weight against their arguments for the mid-city site.

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**Capital Man Negro CONVENTION SPEAKER**

Perry W. Howard Responds to Welcome of Willis to Elks at Cleveland.

Sp. to The Washington Post.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 23.—The grand lodge of Improved Benevolent Protective Order of Elks was welcomed to this city today by Senator Frank B. Willis, on behalf of the Capital site planning commission.

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**Market Site BALLOT**

Market Site Editor:

The Farmers' Market and Center Market should be moved to.....

Reasons for choice.....

Name .....

Address .....

Address ballot to the Market Site Editor, The Washington Post.

### CHANCE TO JUNKET SOUGHT BY NEARLY ALL DISTRICT HEADS

Baldwin Wants \$525 of \$1,000 Fund; Requests Total \$2,819.

ALLOTMENT OF \$100 EACH IS RECOMMENDED

Plumbing Inspector Seeks \$10 Only, and He Is Likely to Get It.

Nearly all heads of departments of the District government sought to take advantage of the first opportunity to junket at public expense, it was disclosed yesterday.

Congress this year, for the first time, appropriated \$1,000 for traveling expenses, to permit District department heads to attend conventions, as a means of keeping touch with up-to-date developments in their respective municipal fields. Maj. Daniel J. Donovan, District auditor, asked each department head to state how much of the traveling money he felt he needed.

Yesterday Maj. Donovan tabulated the replies to his questionnaire and discovered that nearly all wanted to take trips. The requests totaled \$2,819, or nearly three times the available cash.

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### SENATOR FERNALD, OF MAINE, IS DEAD

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canneries scattered throughout western Maine. In 1910 he was president of the National Cannery Association. He became part owner of the Poland Dairy Co. and the Poland Telephone Co. and a director of the Fidelity Trust Co. of Portland.

His entry into politics came with his election to the legislature in 1897. Later he served two terms in the State senate and in 1909 he was elected governor. Maintaining an active part in Republican party affairs, he was first elected to the United States Senate in 1916 to complete the unexpired term of Edwin C. Burleigh. He was reelected in 1918 and 1924. He leaves his wife, a daughter and a son.

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## FAR EASTERN WAR INVOLVING WORLD, PICTURED BY PRATT

Influences Now Are at Work, Naval War College Head Says at Institute.

Williamstown, Mass., Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Although the danger is not as imminent or acute as it was in 1914, influences are at work in the Far East which at any time might precipitate war, said Admiral W. V. Pratt, president of the Naval War College, in addressing the Institute of Politics today.

A new world conflagration might be particularly welcome to Russia, he said, which depends on adoption of the soviet form of government by other nations to bolster her political experiment.

H. Duncan Hall, professor of international relations at Syracuse university, said that Australia has

### DIED

ANDERSON—On Monday morning, August 23, 1926, at his residence, 106 Ridge road, son of ANGUS AND MARY FAIRLEY, beloved wife of John M. Anderson, of County Tyrone, Ireland, and daughter of the late Rev. Dr. John M. Anderson, of Kilkenny, Ireland, and sister of Frances S. Fairley, funeral at her late residence, Wednesday, Aug. 24, at 2 p. m.; interment (private) at Rock Creek cemetery.

BEECHFIELD—On Saturday, August 23, 1926, at Garfield field hospital, ALBERT, father of Katherine Beer and brother of John Beer, deceased at his home, 1100 15th street, northeast, died Saturday morning, August 23, at 11 a. m.; interment (private) at Rock Creek cemetery.

BOBART—Suddenly, on Saturday, August 22, 1926, at his residence, The Portner, 1125 12th Street, N.W., died ALICE, beloved husband of Minnie Warner Bobart, and father of Mrs. Paul A. Warner, wife of Dr. Paul A. Warner, and Miss Lydia B. Bobart and Charles B. Bobart.

Funeral services will be held at St. Peter's Chapel on Tuesday, August 26, at 1:30 p. m.; interment (private) at Arlington National Cemetery.

KING—Suddenly, on Saturday, August 21, 1926, at her home in Virginia, KATE R. KING, wife of King, and mother of Mrs. A. V. N. Strong, wife of Robert E. Strong, and Mrs. Harry C. Loy, of West Palm Beach, Fla., died Saturday morning, August 23, at 1 p. m., thence to Mount Olivet Chapel at Taylorsville, Va., for interment.

LINTHICUM—On Monday, August 23, 1926, at his home, Rockville, Md., Dr. OTIS M. LINTHICUM.

Funeral from his late residence on Wednesday, August 25, at 2:30 p. m.; interment at Rockville Union Cemetery.

MELROSE—Suddenly, on Saturday, August 26, at the Ward Sanatorium, Lakoma Park, Md., ALICE A., wife of the late Dr. Wilfred Melrose, died Saturday morning.

Remains resting at Gawler's Chapel, 1720 Pennsylvania Avenue, northwest, until time of funeral services. The body will be interred at the Shrine of the Sacred Heart, on Tuesday, August 26, at 9 a. m. Interment at Holy Rosary Cemetery.

O'NEILL—On Sunday, August 22, 1926, SISTER STEPHEN T., brother of Daniel J. O'Neill.

Funeral from the undertaking establishment of W. W. Chapman, 2001 Fountain street, northwest, on Tuesday, August 24, at 2 p. m.; interment at Arlington National Cemetery.

PERRY—Suddenly, on Friday, August 20, 1926, at her home, 1100 15th street, northwest, M. Hays Perry and mother of Mrs. J. O. Jacko and Gertrude Perry.

Funeral from her home, 2001 Fountain street, northwest, on Tuesday, August 24, at 2 p. m.; interment at Rock Creek Cemetery.

PICKENS—Suddenly, on Monday, August 23, 1926, at Emergency Hospital, ANNIE E. mother of Dr. Earl Pickens, of College Park, Md.

Funeral from the chapel of W. W. Chapman, 1100 15th street, northwest, on Tuesday, August 24, interment Parish, N. Y.

SEYFUR—Suddenly, on Monday, August 23, 1926, at 4:30 p. m., ARTHUR E., husband of Lotta Caverly Seymour.

Notice of funeral services.

SEHELEY—Suddenly, on Saturday, August 22, 1926, at his residence, 1824 11th street, northwest, WILLIAM H. H., husband of Isabel Garvin of Elkhart, Ind.

SWAN—On Monday, August 23, 1926, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. L. C. (Lorraine) D. Swan, 11th street, northwest, WILLIAM D. SWAN, aged eighty-five years.

Funeral services at the above address, on Wednesday, August 25, at 2 p. m.; interment at Rock Creek Cemetery.

UHLER—On Monday, August 23, 1926, at his residence, 1431 Euclid street, northwest, GEORGE, beloved husband of Clara M. Uhl.

Funeral services (private) at his late residence on Wednesday, August 25, at 2 p. m.

WARDER—On Sunday, August 22, 1926, after a brief illness at her residence, 3233 D street, Sacramento, Calif., ALICE LEAHY, beloved wife of J. Fullerton Warder.

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## NEW GREEK DICTATOR IS HAILED BY COUNTRY

Currency Rises; Newspapers Pleased by Removal of Suppressive Laws.

Athens, Greece, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Greece is settling down comfortably with her eighth revolution since the beginning of the century. Big demonstrations have been held in the principal cities acclaiming the coup of Gen. Condylis, who overthrew President Pangalos and his government early Sunday and denouncing the shortcomings and errors of the Pangalos regime.

Pangalos has been brought back to Athens as a prisoner, having been captured after his attempt to escape from the Island of Spetsas on the destroyer Pergamos.

Greek currency, which the policy of the deposed government failed to improve, has quickly responded to the new conditions, showing a strong upward tendency on the exchange market today, reflecting confidence in financial quarters.

The newspapers which suffered heavily under the suppressive policy of Pangalos are pleased at their new-found freedom.

The circumstances of the deposed president's attempt to escape aboard the Pergamos and his efforts to hide in the wireless turret on the destroyer, as related here, have made him appear ridiculous in the eyes of the general public. Almost the only governmental action for which he is given credit is the conclusion of the Balkan agreements, particularly with Yugoslavia, and it is understood that Gen. Condylis intends to carry out all these agreements and maintain the foreign policy on the same lines as Pangalos, so far as the Balkans are concerned.

Two of the president's aids were also arrested aboard the Pergamos, which was overtaken by the battleship Leon and threatened with destruction if it did not surrender.

Asks Religious Freedom.

The greatest illusion extant in the United States today is the belief that we enjoy religious liberty, in the opinion of Alfred C. Diefenbach, editor of the Christian Register, who sees the "alleged unavailability of Gov. Smith for Presidency on account of his church affiliation, as the outstanding active denial of our constitutional guarantee of religious liberty."

"The only thing that can save us from the erection of a state church throughout the country," he said at the institute, "and thus establish a virtual monarchy in the heart of a democracy, is for the churches to teach and preach the doctrines of liberty, rather than encourage the spirit of intolerance born of sectarian propaganda. In a country where 90 per cent of the people are fundamentalists, and where the power of the ballot is supreme in reflecting the will of the majority it is conceivable that the example of Tennessee will be made universal."

"No laws of constitutional provisions can safeguard men from the doings of men, even when the will of the majority can make it impossible for a man to enjoy the full spirit of citizenship if his beliefs are different. The same ugly tyrannous disposition that we fought to finish 150 years ago has entered into our own lives since the war, and we treat the minority with utter ruthlessness."

Ganay, Cyclist, Killed.

Paris, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Gustave Ganay, champion French bicyclist in motor-paced races, died today from injuries received when he fell during a race yesterday. He visited the United States several years ago and won a number of races.

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## BOY BANDIT'S FIGHT FOR LIFE SURPRISES

Gance Lad, 14, Lives With Chances 1,000 to 1 Against Him.

Pueblo, Colo., Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Displaying the same determination which characterized his fight with the law during his eight-day reign of terror, Leslie Gance, 14-year-old "Baby bandit," today is gamely fighting off his latest foe—death. With the chances 1,000 to 1 against him, according to physicians who examined him Friday after he had been brought to a local hospital after receiving four bullet wounds in the head, he is undergoing electrical treatment of his leg, which has been giving him some trouble lately.

Mr. Moore has been removed from the American hospital to a private home, where he is undergoing electrical treatment of his leg, which has been giving him some trouble lately.

Throughout the day yesterday he waged an up-and-down fight with death. He continued to gain during the entire day, but late last night doctors declared he had suffered a slight relapse and that the end was approaching. His mother has remained with him since he was shot down.

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MONTGOMERY COUNTY BUREAU  
OF THE WASHINGTON POST.  
ROCKVILLE, MD.

Maj. E. Brooke Lee, Democratic  
organization leader in Montgomery  
county, yesterday filed with the su-  
perisors of election in Rockville a  
certificate of his candidacy for one  
of the four Democratic nominations  
for the house of delegates to be  
made at the primary election in the  
county on September 14.

Frank H. Karn, prominent con-  
tractor and builder, of Rockville,  
filed his candidacy for the Repub-  
lican nomination for county com-  
missioner from the Fourth district,  
composed of Rockville, Bethesda  
and Potomac election districts and  
a part of Darnestown district. He  
is not expected to have any opposition  
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Perris E. Waters filed as a candi-  
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Democratic ticket for register of  
wills with the board of election  
supervisors, at Upper Marlboro,  
Md.

Fuller, who will be opposed by  
William T. Davis, Republican, is  
backed by the Democratic organiza-  
tion of Prince Georges county.  
Midnight tonight will be the closing  
hour for filing intentions. The  
elections will be held the first part  
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## LABOR CONDITIONS GOOD, UNION CHIEF INFORMS COOLIDGE

Green and Federation Council  
Dine With President  
at Camp.

### BUILDING ACTIVITIES EXCEED LAST SEASON

Grange Head Reports on the  
Farming Centers; Madden  
and Wood to Visit.

Paul Smiths, N. Y., Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—A report on the industrial situation of the country was made informally to President Coolidge today by William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, and members of his executive council, showing that in most trades conditions are "reasonably satisfactory."

The federation officials were guests of Mr. Coolidge at luncheon at White Pine camp, coming here from Plattsburgh in army automobiles that had been placed at their disposal by officers of the citizens' military training camp, where they have been for several days prior to going to Montreal for a council meeting.

With them at luncheon also was Louis J. Taber, master of the National Grange, who was a guest of the President today and who reported on conditions in the farm sections. The labor men spoke of the situation in the manufacturing centers.

Among the courses served were pickles, which Mr. Coolidge explained he had caught in Lake Ontario.

#### Called Social Visit.

Asserting that no politics was discussed, Mr. Green said:

"It was purely a social visit in response to the President's invitation. We don't want anything and we merely came to pay our respects."

The labor leaders later accompanied the president to the executive offices and were photographed with him, after which they turned to newspaper correspondents and discussed conditions.

Some unemployment and some depression exists in the industrial field, Mr. Green said, mentioning bituminous coal, textiles, shoes and trucking and hauling as examples. The metal trades are none too active, he added, but building is much more active than a year ago.

Mr. Green suggested that both the textile and bituminous coal industries were still feeling the effects of greatly stimulated production during the war. Daniel J. Tobin, president of the Brotherhood of Teamsters and Chauffeurs, said overproduction due to modern machinery, coupled with a lowering of the purchasing power of Europe, had brought about a depression in trucking and hauling.

#### Sees Clearing in Mexico.

There are spotty places, Mr. Tobin added, with unemployment running from 10 to 25 per cent, but in Chicago and San Francisco, for example, conditions are quite good.

Mr. Green declined to discuss Mexican affairs beyond saying he thought "things were clearing up" there.

With Mr. Green as White House luncheon guests were Frank Morrison, secretary, and Mr. Tobin, treasurer of the labor federation; Peter J. Brady, president of the Federation Bank & Trust Co., of New York city, and the following vice presidents of the labor federation: Frank Duffy, secretary of the Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners; T. A. Richert, president of the United Garment Workers; James A. Wilson, president of the Pattern Makers League of North America; Frank C. Ryan, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen and James P. Noonan, president of the Brotherhood of Electrical Workers. They returned to Plattsburgh late today.

Turning to other questions tomorrow, President Coolidge is to receive Representative Madden, Republican, Illinois, chairman of the Republican congressional campaign committee, will arrive at the summer White House for a report on the campaign.

#### MRS. MARY E. FISHER DIES.

Montgomery County Resident to Be Buried Today.

Following a long illness, Mrs. Mary E. Fisher, lifelong resident of Montgomery county, died yesterday at her home near Bethesda. She was 76 years old. Her death was due to a complication of diseases.

The funeral will take place this afternoon from the Methodist church at Potomac, burial to be in the cemetery near the church.

#### Caddington Named Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff Clay Plummer has appointed Ward W. Caddington, of Silver Spring, Md., a deputy sheriff for Montgomery county and he has subscribed to the oath of office before the clerk of the circuit court in Rockville.

#### SUMMER COLDS are lingering and annoying. The very first night apply **VICKS** VAPOURUB Over 21 Million Jars Used Yearly

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### 3 Traffic Levels Urged For Street in Chicago

Chicago, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—State street, one of the famous shopping centers of the world, would become a three-level thoroughfare under a new subway traction plan prepared by a subway advisory commission appointed by the city council transportation committee.

Immediate construction of a \$36,000,000 system of downtown transit tubes in State street and adjacent thoroughfares, financed largely through voluntary assessments of property owners, is recommended.

One of the tubes would start at Chicago avenue and extend two miles south to Roosevelt road, for rapid transit trains, connecting at either end with the elevated roads. Between the train level and the street level would be a mezzanine" deck for pedestrians to facilitate the traffic of passengers from local to express trains. A second system of tubes for trolley cars entering the loop would be constructed in two east and west boulevards.

### DR. O. M. LINTHICUM DIES; TWICE ROCKVILLE MAYOR

Was President of Volunteer Fire Department; 35 Years a Physician.

#### WIFE'S DEATH RECENT

Dr. Otis M. Linthicum, leading citizen and prominent physician, died at his home in Rockville yesterday afternoon, aged 60 years.

He was stricken while about to administer to himself for what was supposed acute indigestion and died almost instantly.

He is survived by a son, Dr. William A. Linthicum, a recent graduate of the medical department of Johns Hopkins university and now with the Woman's hospital, Baltimore. He also leaves a brother, Samuel S. Linthicum, of Baltimore. Dr. Linthicum's wife died only a few weeks ago.

Dr. Linthicum was a son of the late William A. Linthicum, of Prince Georges county. He was a graduate of the medical department of the University of Maryland and had practiced his profession in Rockville 35 years. He was at one time president of the Montgomery County Medical society, a member of the Rockville town council two years ago, and Rockville for four years, and at the time of his death was president of the Rockville volunteer fire department. He was a member of the vestry of Christ Episcopal church, Rockville, and belonged to the Rockville lodge of Masons and the Rockville Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. Linthicum had not been in robust health for some time and recently he took a European trip for the benefit of his health, but was called back by the critical illness of his wife sooner than he had planned to return.

Dr. Linthicum was a first cousin of Representative J. Charles Linthicum, of Baltimore.

### WASHINGTON HORSES SHOWN AT ROCKVILLE

Many Entered in Competition Tomorrow; Fair Opens This Morning.

### FRENCH WINES AGAIN LOSE OUT AT MARKET

Many Disappointed as Supply Goes Rapidly; Tobacco Prices Raised.

Paris, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—The second day of the opening of the central markets of Paris to household buyers at wholesale prices caused a number of quarrels, but not much alleviation of the high cost of living. This is one of the government's measures intended to beat down the ever rising costs of the family budget. The demand was so much greater than the supply that the market stalls were sold out early in the day and many housewives had to trudge home with empty baskets.

Stale bread has not yet been placed on sale. The minister of agriculture has asked the experts to fix the price at the lowest figure to compensate the bakers.

A general increase in the price of tobacco ranging from 20 to 60 per cent goes into effect tomorrow, the only exception being the cheapest brand of cigarettes known as ordinary "caporal," the working man's smoke. American cigarettes selling for 15 cents at home will sell for from 6 to 9 francs, or about 27 cents.

### Three Believed Lost In Lake Huron Storm

Sault Ste Marie, Mich., Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Missing three days.

George Pond, Mackinac Island; George Ackerman, Detroit, and Charles Black, Chicago, are thought to have lost their lives in a storm which enveloped upper Lake Huron last Friday.

The three were at camp on the Les Cheneaux island and started to cross to Mackinac Island to the home of Pond's grandmother. Their broken motor boat, with the engine missing, was found Saturday, but searching parties have been unable to locate the boys. Pond was 18 and the other boys about the same age.

### FARMERS FAVORING DRY ENFORCEMENT, GRANGE HEAD FINDS

Strong Sentiment for Prohibition Law, National Master Tells President.

### ORGANIZATION BACKS ANDREWS, HE HOLDS

Convinced of Value After Trip Abroad; Says Farm Conditions Improving.

Paul Smiths, N. Y., Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—The farmers of the United States are "stronger than ever" for law enforcement, particularly prohibition, President Coolidge was told today by Louis J. Taber, of Columbus, Ohio, master of the National Grange, an organization having more than 800,000 members in 30 states.

The grange, Mr. Taber asserted, supports the efforts of Lincoln C. Andrews, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, in charge of prohibition enforcement, to enforce the eighteenth amendment. It is Mr. Taber's opinion that Mr. Andrews is "beginning to plug up the rat holes."

Discussing his prohibition views after talking with the President, Mr. Taber said a recent visit to Europe had convinced him that "America must stay dry." After observing the low living standards, low wages and long hours of labor that prevail in some of the European countries where liquor is used, Mr. Taber said he had returned to the United States a "lot drier" than he went.

#### Nothing Like Grape Juice.

His travels abroad, Mr. Taber continued, had convinced him that "we can do everything else better in America except drink liquor and obey the law."

Nothing he had tasted in Europe, he observed, could compare with a "glass of Mrs. Taber's unfermented grape juice."

As to the farmers' attitude toward prohibition, Mr. Taber declared that in speeches in 43 States, his mention of law enforcement and respect for the eighteenth amendment had drawn more applause than any other point he made.

Discussing agricultural conditions, Mr. Taber said he believed the farmers' situation was "a little better than last year, but not much." His purchasing power, the grange head continued, has increased due to a slight advance in farm values and a slight falling off in others, but there has been no decrease in the cost of labor or taxes.

#### Long Way from Normal.

In general, agriculture, "is a long way from pre-war conditions," in Mr. Taber's opinion, and still has a "long road to travel to return to a normal basis."

Although the grange will not formulate its legislative program until November, Mr. Taber outlined for the President several points which the farmers' organization believes are necessary in aiding agriculture.

The grange favors a better farm organization so that agriculture can speak for itself through a coordinated influence. It advocates the development of the principal of co-operative marketing, more efficient handling of regional and seasonal surpluses and believes the tariff should be made more effective for agriculture.

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### Indian Rain Prayer Followed by Deluge

Flagstaff, Ariz., Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Washes that seemed but harmless sand depressions in the desert as throngs of visitors hastened toward the weird ceremonial of the Hopi Indians' snake dance Saturday became raging torrents of muddy water within two hours after this year's prayers to the gods for rain were concluded. The dance is a prayer for rain.

As darkness descended Saturday, bringing to a conclusion the weird rites, and as the priests of the Antelope clan disappeared from the kiva's prayer chamber, the clouds loosed a deluge, making the roads from the foot of the mesa near Crabs, the oldest of three Hopi villages and scene of the ceremonial, almost impassable.

The reason the Spanish government advances for a change in the status of Tangiers is that the town is a center of plots against Spanish authority in Morocco. Spain also declares that a contraband trade in arms for the benefit of Rifian tribesmen was carried on there unchecked by the international police.

Proof has been presented in behalf of these allegations and the opinion in French circles is that it would be well to give the Spaniards control of the police organization in Tangiers and thus put the task of checking such intrigues up to them.

Judge Lovett was brought here two weeks ago, suffered from gall stones and an intestinal tumor. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Laura Gilson Lovett, and two children, Elliott Calender Lovett, a Washington attorney, and Evangeline Lovett, an actress.

Lost in Melbourne,  
Cat Returns to U. S.

Berlin, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—The statement that Germany's famous Krupp Works at Essen probably will never manufacture arms again as attributed to Baron Frederick E. von Krupp at Los Angeles has caused some surprise here.

The Krupp secretariat categorically denied that any member of the family is touring the United States. As the family's name is Krupp von Bohlen, it was said that there can be no Frederick von Krupp belonging to it. The oldest son of the family, Alfred, is only 21 years old.

Auto, Wife and Child Stolen From Tourist

Battle Creek, Mich., Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Samuel A. Hudson, a visiting tourist from Bremen, Ind., today was the victim of a thorough thief, he reported to police. Another tourist, he charged, made away with his automobile, money, personal effects and also his wife and child.

Brooklyn, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—One man was instantly killed, another seriously injured and a dozen others were knocked to the ground today by a bolt of lightning which struck a dynamite storehouse near here in a storm.

Thirty cases of dynamite, of 1,500 pounds, were set off by the lightning. A construction camp, 300 feet from Tamiami trail, where the storehouse was located, was demolished.

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## CAPITAL SOCIETY EVENTS

THE Secretary of State and Mrs. Frank B. Kellogg, who are again in Washington after their trip to White Pine camp and to Plattsburgh, N. Y., will depart for their home, St. Paul, Minn., where Mrs. Kellogg expects to remain for the month of September. The Secretary will return to Washington after a visit in St. Paul of a few days.

Mrs. Jardine, wife of the Secretary of Agriculture, and their two daughters, Miss Marian Jardine and Miss Ruth Jardine, and their niece, Miss Rita Hulme, are expected to return to Washington today from Southampton, Long Island, where they passed the summer. The Secretary, who is in New York, will remain there on business, and will leave Syracuse, N. Y., August 31, when he will go to Kansas, returning to Washington the middle of September.

The Ambassador of Chile, Señor Don Miguel Cruchaga Tocornal, will return the middle of this week from New York, where he went Saturday, stopping at the Hotel Plaza.

The Minister of Costa Rica, Señor Don J. Rafael Oreamuno, has returned to Washington from New York and New England, where he passed several weeks.

The Minister of Honduras, Señor Luis Bográn, who was called to New Orleans by the serious illness of his uncle, Dr. S. Bográn, has returned to Washington after remaining there a week.

The Minister of Latvia and Mme. Selya will depart tomorrow by motor for a trip to the middle West.

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Suzette Dewey is still at Watch Hill, L. I., where she is staying with her grandparents.

The Lieutenant Governor of Mississippi, Mr. Dennis Murphree, who heads the delegation of Mississippians now in this city, with other officials of the delegation is at the Mayflower hotel while in the Capital.

The first secretary of the French embassy, Mr. Jules Henry, arrived in Washington yesterday from New York, where he landed after passing a month on a vacation in France.

The military attaché of the French embassy, Brig. Gen. George A. L. Dumont; Mme. Dumont and their daughter, Mlle. Maud Dumont, who have been passing some time in Canada, will arrive in New York today and come to Washington Monday.

Sir Adrial William Maxwell Ballie, bart, second secretary of the British embassy, returned to Washington Sunday from England, where he passed a vacation.

Senor Don Cayetano de Quesada, attaché of the Cuban embassy, returned yesterday from Des Moines, Iowa, where he represented the President of Cuba at the annual convention of the United Spanish War Veterans in that city. Senor de Quesada has been absent from Washington for about two weeks.

The third secretary of the French embassy, Mr. Armand du Chayla, departed yesterday afternoon for New York, where he will sail today aboard the Aquitania for France for a visit of about three months.

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Mr. L. Lemaresquier, of Paris, who came to Washington last week for the last eight months at the bureau of medicine and surgery, Navy Department, returned from a fishing trip in the West and visited Wyoming, Nebraska and Colorado. Mrs. Bloodorn will depart the latter part of the month with her little daughter, Helen, for a trip to the Adirondacks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ingalls Sewall, of New York and Boston, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dorothy Neville Sewall, to Ensign Edward Poor Montgomery, U. S. N., son of Mrs. Montgomery and the late Lt. Col. Slack Montgomery, of New York. Miss Sewall's grandfather was the late Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, U. S. N. She was presented to society in New York last winter and two seasons ago was among the Americans received at court by King George and Queen Mary of Great Britain. Ensign Montgomery was graduated from the United States Naval Academy in Annapolis in the class of 1923. No date has been set for the wedding, and Mr. and Mrs. Sewall and their daughter plan to pass the winter in Porto Rico.

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#### Bar Harbor Horse Show.

Mr. F. Hamilton McCormick-Goodhart, who is at Bar Harbor, Maine, is chairman of the committee on events for the horse show to be held at Morrell park Thursday and Friday at the resort. Among the horseholders for the event is Mrs. Fredrick E. McCormick-Goodhart. Miss Lydia Archbold is chairman of the committee in charge of the sale of boxes and the entire fifty boxes have been already sold. Mr. McCormick-Goodhart will also be one

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#### New York Society.

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New York, Aug. 23.—Prince and Princess di San Faustino, of Rome, Italy, are at the Hotel Chatham, where they will make their headquarters while in this country.

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of the judges for the events of the annual water sports and carnival day which will take place at the Swimming club, Bar Harbor, tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Gist Blair were hosts at a large dinner at the Pot and Kettle club, Bar Harbor, last Tuesday evening.

Mr. Henry F. Dimock, who is at Bar Harbor, Maine, was hostess at a dinner party at the resort Friday evening.

Mrs. Blaine Lipscomb is passing the week at the Wardman Park hotel, having just arrived from Brantford, Conn., where she and her daughter, Miss Rebekah Lipscomb, have been passing the summer. Mrs. Lipscomb will join her sister, Mrs. Aubrey Lynn Clarke, and a party of friends at the Haddon Hall in Atlantic City the latter part of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nelson Dingley, of Chevy Chase, will be joined shortly by their son, Mr. Edward Nelson Dingley, Jr., who has been on a trip around the world and has arrived in this country on the Pacific coast. He will visit Seattle before making the trip east by way of the Panama Canal to New York and Washington.

Mrs. Charles F. Carusi, who is at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., was among the patronesses for the annual bridge and mah jong given in the spring room at the Greenbrier Hotel, Friday evening for the benefit of the White Sulphur Community house.

Of interest to Washington is the announcement received from London of the engagement of Miss Carolyn Nash, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Francis S. Nash, of this city, to Flight Lieut. David S. Earp, youngest son of the late W. J. Earp, of Wandsworth Common, London. No date has been announced for the wedding.

Miss Nash was a prominent member in the younger circles here for many years, a member of the Junior league, and a first lieutenant of the first national service school of the women's naval service. Dr. and Mrs. Nash have lived abroad for many years and Mrs. Nash returned here for a short visit last year. They closed their house at 1723 Q street in 1924 and went to India to pass the winter in Bombay, and last winter lived most of the time in Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Russell, of Fort Worth, Tex., are at the Willard hotel for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stuart, of Philadelphia, are passing a few days at the Willard hotel, where they arrived Sunday.

#### Visiting in Canada.

Mrs. R. C. Davis and Miss Emily Cleveland Davis, of 1521 Rhode Island avenue northwest, after an ocean trip to Boston and St. Johns, will pass several weeks visiting Canada and the Great Lakes cities, returning in September.

Mrs. Robert M. Bohlen, of 1825 Q street northwest, is at Atlantic City, where she has joined Mr. and Mrs. George Willing, Jr., Miss Edith P. Willing, and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Pepper, of Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, at the Ritz-Carlton hotel.

Mrs. J. J. Robnett and Miss C. Robnett are at the Hotel Iroquois, Atlantic City, for a visit.

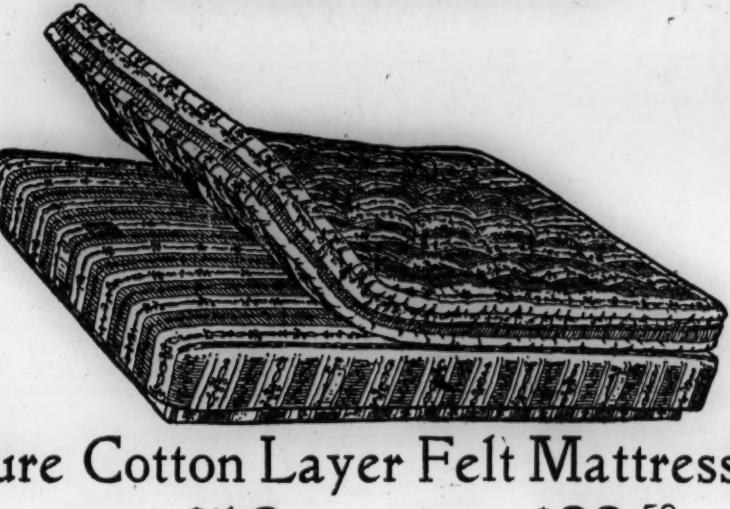
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The Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. again will be asked to install a telephone in the Jefferson district firemen's hall at Virginia Highlands, says Chief W. Glenn Bixler.

"The fire alarm system in Arlington county makes it necessary for a telephone to be in each firehouse despite the fact the siren sounds," he declared, "as we have no other means of learning the location of a fire. Every other department in Arlington county is supplied with a telephone, and I can see no good reason why, after months of effort, we should still be left out."

Several months ago the department took the matter up with the telephone company, which said new cables were being installed and that as soon as completed a telephone would be installed. According to Chief Bixler, telephone service is now installed through Aurora Hills, which adjoins Virginia Highlands, and yet no service has been provided for the fire department.

Saltis is under indictment charged with the murder of John "Mitters" Foley, a young beer runner. The police found him yesterday in a cabin at Half Moon lake, near Tomahawk. Frank "Lefty" Konsinski, "three fingered" Pete Konsinski and Nick Kramer were the others seized.

It was expected Saltis would be taken before the special grand jury which is investigating the machine gun assassination of Assistant State's Attorney William McGivern and two others, as well as gangster activity.

Gangsters' guns blazed again today, killing a tall, possibly faintly wounded another.

Two men walked deliberately up to the automobile of Michael Bland, 20, restaurant owner and fired a fusillade that killed him. His wife, in the front seat with him, was unhurt, but Joseph Varonilona, 19, in the rear seat, was shot in the left lung. He may die.

The trio had attended a Sicilian celebration and had just gotten into the automobile when the attack occurred. The gunmen escaped.

Whether a Sicilian feud, the alcohol war or revenge for other killings lay behind the shooting, police were unable to determine.

Belief that Bland, who formerly lived in Kansas City, possibly was slain in revenge for a killing at Moundville, Mo., three years ago was expressed by Mrs. Bland.

In 1922, she said, Bland and his brothers lived in Arma, Kan. Near Arma, she said, the brothers had a quarrel with a stranger, who was killed. Two of the brothers were captured and sent to prison. Bland's widow said, but he and his other brothers escaped.

With the closing of summer classes at the George Mason High school, of which there were 50 enrolled in the high school and 90 in the elementary grades of Mount Vernon school, the records show that of the 140 attending only sixteen failed to pass the tests. Last year the enrollment for the winter was 150, but indications are that this year it will exceed the 300 mark.

Owing to the protest of the Washington Virginia Railway and the Old Dominion Railway, extension of the service of the Washington, Virginia & Maryland Coach Co. to Bus Air, by way of Wilson boulevard through Ballston and returning by way of Cherry Valley road, connecting with the Lee highway lines, has been postponed

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## CHIEF OF CANTON'S POLICE DISMISSED ON LAXITY CHARGE

Official Dropped at End of Suspension Growing Out of Mellett Murder.

### TO FIGHT ACCUSATION OF "BUNGLING" INQUIRY

New Civil Service Board Seated by Mayor; County Prosecutor Accused.

Canton, Ohio, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Chief of Police S. A. Lengel was dismissed tonight by Mayor S. M. Swarts. Lengel was to have returned to duty tomorrow after a 30-day suspension imposed July 24 when the mayor considered that the police inquiry into the murder of Don R. Mellett, Canton publisher, had failed.

Lengel has the right of appeal to the civil service commission, which was reconstructed today by the appointment by the mayor of two new members to succeed Price Janson and John Burris, dismissed earlier in the day. Among the charges made against Lengel is one alleging that he "bungled" the investigation into the Mellett murder by not pressing the inquiry in its early days. Mellett was shot at his garage door, supposedly by underworld gangsters, early on the morning of July 16. Lengel was suspended eight days later.

Other charges against the chief are that he tolerated vice conditions and open bootlegging and that he had too intimate a contact with the underworld and its characters and permitted the members of his department to have such contacts. Too close relationship with the underworld was charged against Lengel when the 30-day suspension was imposed.

#### May Fight Charge.

It is understood that the chief will fight the allegation that he permitted the murder inquiry to be "bungled" by attempting to show that Mellett's family interfered with the investigation immediately following the shooting.

Mellett had made frequent attacks in his news on the police department and editorially had backed an attempt several months ago to have Lengel removed. At that time Lengel appealed to the civil service commission and was reinstated by a 2 to 1 vote. Janson and Burris favoring his retention. James Alardice, the one commissioner of that date who still holds his position, voted to oust him.

Janson and Burris were removed today when the mayor found them guilty of neglect of duty. George Melborne and Charles Floy were appointed by the mayor to replace them.

Until a new chief is appointed, Earl W. Hexamer, acting chief and safety director, will continue to serve as head of the police department. Reconstruction of the department is expected as a result of the dismissal of Lengel.

#### Prosecutor Accused.

Tactics of Prosecutor C. B. McClintock, handling the investigation into the murder of Mellett, were assailed today by Joseph R. Roach, Chicago clean-up lawyer, in a formal statement.

In a long recital of McClintock's alleged acts and failures to act, Roach indicated that the prosecutor, who, under normal circumstances would carry the case to the Stark county grand jury Wednesday, by his actions has delayed the prosecution and has been a block to the Federal inquiry into an alleged liquor conspiracy out of which the murder plot is presumed to have taken place.

#### Pictures Still to Be Shown.

Although Rudolph Valentino is dead, his admirers are still able to see his pictures.

Hiram Abrams, president of United Artists Corporation, which had him under contract, announced this afternoon that "The Son of the Sheik," the latest Valentino picture, will continue in circulation throughout the world.

This was considered an unusual procedure. In that motion picture producers have been known to say that they have found it impossible to show pictures featuring artists who have died. It has been said

## BODY OF VALENTINO REMOVED TO CHAPEL; THROGS GATHER

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was made out in the name of Rudolph Guglielmi, the screen star's real name.

Valentino, who rose from a \$50 a week job as a movie "heavy" to become the greatest "matinee idol" the stage or screen has ever known, came here recently to attend the premieres of new picture in which he was starred and to see his brother off for Italy. A week ago yesterday he collapsed in his hotel suite and was rushed to Polyclinic hospital.

#### Immediate Double Operation.

Examination showed him to be suffering from appendicitis and gastric ulcers and an immediate operation for both was determined on. The double operation was a success, but the actor's condition had become so aggravated by the time he collapsed that peritonitis set in and for several days he remained in a critical condition.

By last Wednesday, however, his natural vigor seemed to have won the battle and his doctors announced that no more bulletins would be issued unless there was a change for the worse.

This change came Saturday night, a severe relapse due to pleurisy that developed in his left lung and gained rapid headway because of the patient's weakened condition.

Throughout last night his life was held together by the slenderest of threads, every resource of the medical profession being resorted to to sustain him.

At 3:30 o'clock this morning Valentino roused, smiled, and talked of the time when he would be up again. And then darkness closed in on him, never to lift. And death stoned upon him as he lay peacefully as though in sleep.

When his condition became grave again yesterday a priest heard confession and granted absolution. At 10 o'clock this morning the last rites were administered and at 12:10 yesterday, at the height of time, death ended one of the most impressive careers in screen history.

Valentino's popularity, from the time of his first appearance in a leading part, in the "Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," was never dimmed. His mail was enormous and his pictures adorned the walls and dressing tables of countless boudoirs. Wherever his pictures were shown crowds of women flocked to see him fight his way through obstacles that love might triumph over all else.

Always he was a favorite with women, from girls in grammar schools to elderly ladies. But one taunt he couldn't stand was the suggestion that he was a "ladies man," an effeminate. This always roused him to wrath which sought an outlet in physical combat that his��hood must be proved.

Because he dressed in the height of fashion or sometimes considerably in advance of it, affecting such adornments as slave bracelets and other trinkets, he was occasionally lampooned in print and picture as an "exquisite" with little of the "he man" in his make-up.

#### Room Banked With Flowers.

Valentino died in a room banked with flowers that admirers had sent him from all over the country. During the eight days of his suffering letters, telegrams and telephone calls were received at the hospital by the thousand. His illness became a matter of national interest, and his hourly condition was displayed on the first page of the newspapers, any change warranting a "streaker," so great was the public interest in his welfare.

Statesmen and men of science, great teachers and men who have swayed the masses through the spoken and written word, have been stricken and died with far less prominence than was given Valentino.

The actor had the power to inspire both in those who knew him only on the screen and those who were in close and constant contact with him. Mr. Ulman, manager and friend, had not slept for four days and nights prior to the star's death, so closely he had watched at the bedside on the chance that he might do some service. When the end came doctors ordered Mr. Ulman into complete seclusion so that the strain of the past days might not result in a breakdown.

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## Kleig Lights Blamed For Valentino Death

Dr. Con O. Lee, of Tampa, Fla., who is conducting a series of lectures on biology and character analysis at the Playhouse here, attributed the death of Rudolph Valentino to overexposure to the acinic rays, aggravated by constant subjection to the kleig lights of the studios.

"A moving picture star goes to California, where there is more sunlight than any other place in the United States," Dr. Lee said. "He becomes popular, more pictures are wanted, and the next thing he knows he is offered more money and begins working at night under the powerful kleig lights."

"First, his eyes begin to worry him. And the directors tell him to put castor oil in them instead of heeding the warning of nature. Then he begins to get nervous, restless, which is called 'temperament.' Those powerful, short, ultra violet or acinic rays get in their deadly work."

Roach said he has evidence that McClintock declared he called the witnesses at the behest of District Attorney A. E. Bernstein, while Bernstein, according to a telegram in the evidence, denies telling McClintock about the two potential witnesses.

## FILM STAR DIES



RUDOLPH VALENTINO.

## SURPLUS NEXT YEAR, HELM ASSERTS, MAY REACH \$550,000,000

First 40 Days of U. S. Treasury Records Held to Show That Amount.

## FIGURES MAY INCREASE TO \$1,000,000,000 TOTAL

Receipts From Tariff and Income Tax Predicted as Highest Since 1920.

By WILLIAM P. HELM, JR.

In lopping \$100,000,000 off the estimated expenses of the government next year, President Coolidge is guided largely by the estimated amount of money the Treasury will take in during that period. His experts have advised him recently that he may reasonably expect receipts of \$3,755,000,000. That is materially lower than receipts for either 1926 or 1925 and is about \$40,000,000 less than the sum estimated for the current fiscal year of 1927.

Had President Coolidge allowed the extra \$100,000,000 to remain in the estimates, the Treasury would face a deficit at the close of the fiscal year, according to the best estimates now available. As it is the Treasury faces a small surplus, variously put at from \$12,000,000 to \$40,000,000 by the canny experts whose guess has been invariably from \$200,000,000 to \$1,000,000,000 under the mark for each of the past five years.

The same experts forecast a surplus this year of about \$185,000,000. If, however, the figures run true to form, there will be a surplus of at least \$500,000,000 at the close of the present fiscal year and possibly the surplus may run as high as \$1,000,000,000. The presumption does not take into consideration a tax reduction at the next congressional session. Such a reduction would reduce the surplus correspondingly.

Experts Ultraconservative.

Because of the unbroken record of ultraconservative guesses at Treasury receipts, next year's low estimate may be regarded as under the mark. Indeed, it has been the policy of the government experts to underestimate the likely total so that the error, if any, may be on the side of conservatism.

During the first 40 days of the current fiscal year, or to August 10, inclusive, the actual record of receipts indicated that for the year the total would pass \$4,000,000. The first 40 days' record also indicates a surplus at the close of the year of about \$550,000,000. Further, it presages a record revenue from the tariff and the biggest volume of income tax receipts since 1920. The tariff alone, it is indicated, will produce more than \$600,000,000 this year and income tax receipts amount to \$2,000,000,000 and may rise to \$2,250,000,000.

These figures are dependent upon a continuation of prosperity for the next four and one-half months.

The first 40 days' record shows that ordinary receipts during that period amounted to \$298,000,000 as against \$288,000,000 during the same period last year. It has also been ascertained that receipts during the first 40 days are just about 7 per cent of the year's total receipts. It may vary a bit here and there, but the average runs close to 7 per cent. On that basis, receipts this year will run to \$1,250,000,000—larger than any time since Mr. Coolidge took office, notwithstanding the tax cut of this year.

Billions Debt Cut.

With receipts of \$4,250,000,000 this year, Mr. Mellon would be able to cut the principal of the public debt by nearly \$1,200,000,000 during the present fiscal year. That, too, would establish a record. However, during the past fiscal year, with receipts of \$3,962,000,000, Mr. Mellon cut the debt by upwards of \$800,000,000. And as the excess of receipts over expenses has been devoted largely—except for tax reduction—to debt reduction during the Coolidge regime the greater the excess the larger the debt cut.

Included in the schedules for the coming fiscal year, now being made at Washington, is an item of about \$750,000,000 for interest on the public debt, and another item of about \$350,000,000 for sinking fund requirements (retirement of the public debt). There also included a third item of about \$175,000,000 for debt retirement, this representing the moneys to be received from foreign debtors under their funding agreements.

The total of these three items runs to \$1,275,000,000 and is divided between interest of about \$750,000,000 and debt retirement of about \$525,000,000. These items constitute about one-third of all the government's expenditures for the year and it is because the proportion is so heavy that the White House and Treasury are desirous of slicing the outstanding debt, as against a possible new reduction in taxes.

In the item of interest on the public debt there are included all the moneys paid out on Liberty bonds, as well as other outstanding obligations. About \$12,000,000,000 in outstanding Liberty is represented by the amounts owed the United States by foreign governments. On that huge debt, the United States Treasury received last year \$160,000,000 in interest. It paid out, however, not less than \$500,000,000 in interest to bondholders.

Interest Charge \$340,000,000.

Thus the equation stands that on our foreign credits we received \$160,000,000 and paid out \$500,000,000 in interest. The difference of \$340,000,000 was made up from the receipt of income taxes. That represents the present-day American burden of the general war debt. In other words, it is costing American taxpayers today \$340,000,000

## Lady Astor, Here, Predicts Far-Reaching Prohibition

Will Be Accomplished Fact in Twenty Years, She Says. Denounces Liquor as Tremendous Evil—Doubts Existence of Flapper Class—Off to Virginia.

Lady Nancy Astor, American, who has won fame in English politics, returned yesterday to scenes of her childhood. For an hour she stopped over in Washington before continuing to Charlottesville, where, as Nancy Langhorne, she passed her girlhood. Lady Astor was accompanied by her husband, Viscount Astor, and

their five children. They were met at Union station by Secretary of State and Mrs. Kellogg, who welcomed them to Washington and drove them about the city for an hour until their train departed for Charlottesville. The Kelloggs and the Astors are friends from the days when the Secretary was Ambassador to England.

Lady Astor was asked her view

of the American flapper. "I don't know what you mean by 'flapper,'" she said.

"Frankly, I don't think that any such class exists. I think the term is merely a creation of the American journalist." Lady Astor explained that while there was an ultra-modern class of girls in England who smoked, they were not called "flappers."

Lady Astor denounced liquor as "a tremendous evil." Prohibition, she said, will be an accomplished fact of far-reaching importance within twenty years.

The Astors will return to England on September 11 so that their children, William W., Phyllis, David, Michael and J. Jacob, may reenter school. Lady Astor will make only one speech in this country. This will be delivered before the League of Women's Voters in New York, September 9.

## DR. ELIOT'S FUNERAL WILL BE HELD TODAY

Body of Harvard President Emeritus Going by Boat to Cambridge.

Northeast Harbor, Maine, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Funeral services

for Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard, who died yesterday at his summer home here, will be held at noon tomorrow in the Union church of Northeast Harbor.

Dr. Francis G. Peabody, of Cambridge, Mass., a brother of the first Mrs. Eliot, will preach the sermon, and he will be assisted by Dr. Henry Wilder Foote, of Belmont, Mass., a nephew of Dr. Eliot.

The body will be taken by boat to Cambridge, where services will be held on Wednesday in the Appleton chapel at Harvard.

Dr. Samuel A. Eliot, the only surviving member of Dr. Eliot's immediate family, will accompany his father's body to Cambridge. Interment will be in Mount Auburn cemetery, Cambridge, where many relatives have been laid at rest.

While messages of sympathy from all parts of the country were received today, recalling the fame of the venerable educator, scientist, philosopher and author, friends and neighbors here spoke of him as one of the "founders" of Mount Desert island, a summer colony.

Dr. Eliot had been a summer resident of the island for almost 50 years, coming for the first time long before Bar Harbor became known as a fashionable summer center.

The house in which he died at Asticou, a mile from Northeast Harbor, was built by him in 1880.

## KNOWLEDGE OF MEDICINE HELD AS DENTISTS' NEED

Convention Told Schools Should Broaden Courses for Dental Students.

Philadelphia, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Dentistry has assumed the importance of a special branch of medicine and as such should require of its practitioners a more extensive medical knowledge, delegates to the seventh International Dental Congress were told today.

Dr. Joseph S. Hepburn, of Hahnemann Medical College, said that the entrance requirements of dental colleges should be broadened to include biological chemistry and other studies required of medical students.

The speaker pointed out that since dentistry and medicine are "closely related branches of the healing art," practitioners of dentistry as well as of medicine should be familiar with general medical knowledge.

Dr. Alfred Owre, dean of the dental school of the University of Minnesota, also stressed the necessity of broadening the requirements of dental colleges on a higher level and of broadening the scope of the profession to embrace a general correlation with medicine.

"Dentistry is now on a high plane," he said, "in striking contrast to the dispute in which it once was held. It is up to the dentists to raise the standards of teaching, and not only teaching but research, so that the profession may take its proper place in healing."

The congress comprises fifteen sections, each devoted to a special dental subject.

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## DIVIDENDS ANNOUNCED BY NORTH AMERICAN CO.

1½ Per Cent on Preferred and  
2½ Per Cent on Common Stock.

## LOCAL MARKET STRONG

By F. W. PATTERSON.

Directors of the North American Co. yesterday declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent on the preferred stock and 2½ per cent on the common stock, payable on October 1 to stockholders of record on September 7, 1926. The dividend on the common stock will be paid in common stock at par, or at the rate of 1-40 of 1 share for each share held of record at the close of business September 7.

Local stockholders are keenly interested in the affairs of the company, as are Washington residents, for it is this company which owns and operates the Washington Rapid Transit Co., and is a large holder of shares in the Washington Railway & Electric Co.

The consolidated balance sheet of the North American Co. and its subsidiaries as of June 30 shows large increases in the items of property and plant and outstanding funded debt and preferred stocks over June 30 last year, which is attributable to the acquiring of important utility properties through the issuance of stock of the company in the last months of 1925.

Additional investments, aggregating about \$1,000,000, and excess of increase in property and plant over the aggregate of the increase in total funded debt and preferred stocks of subsidiaries and preferred and common stocks of the North American Co. are largely reflected in increased reserves and surplus, which, including capital surplus, were \$54,744,687 larger on June 30, 1926, and amounted to \$139,467,969 on that date.

**Utilities Shares Active.**

Utilities dominated the trading in yesterday's session on the Washington Stock Exchange, with trading more active than in any session since August 17.

Potomac Electric Power preferred gained to 108½ on opening sale and picking up to 108½ on next transaction sold through to end the day at the higher level. The sales were marked up at close 108½ bid, 108¾ asked. Capital Traction opened fractionally off with 52 shares changing hands in four lots sold at 104, but the next lot moved at 104½ and closing sale was made at 104½, the closing price last week. Two odd shares of Commercial National Bank sold at 226, while Lanston Monotype was easier at 93. Mergenthaler Linotype sold to the extent of 15 shares at 106½.

The bond division was interesting with Washington Gas Light 6s gaining to 104½, Washington Railway & Electric general 6s picking up to 104½, and Capital Traction 5s selling at 101.

**New Institute Committee.**

Another forward step was taken yesterday by the Washington chapter, American Institute of Banking, with the announcement by T. Huston Leith, president, of a new committee to be known as the committee of education and public affairs. This committee will encourage investigation and discussion along all educational and industrial lines not only as to their bearing on the financial institutions of the District, but with regard to their effect on the community as a whole.

The committee will concern itself chiefly with promoting beneficial measures for the advancement of the banks and the community and will endeavor to take an active part in all community civic movements. The educational campaign, which was in charge of Charles D. Boyer, cashier of the Federal-American National Bank, last year, will be taken over by the committee and it will endeavor to further educate the public at large along banking lines by means of broadcasting and talks to groups, organizations, schools and other bodies.

The committee chosen for this important work may be expected to accomplish much along the lines planned as it is composed of men who rank high in the local financial field and are interested in the activities of the Washington chapter. They are James C. Dunlap, jr., assistant treasurer American Security & Trust Co.; chairman; Charles D. Boyer, cashier Federal-American National Bank; Hilleary G. Hoskinson, vice president Riggs National Bank; Francis G. Addison, jr., vice president Security Savings & Commercial Bank; Victor B. Decker, president Second National Bank, and Charles H. Doig, jr., vice president Washington Loan & Trust Co.

**Bond Issue Offered.**

An issue of \$1,500,000 Amalgamated Phosphate Co. subsidiary of American Cyanamid Co. for a long mortgage sinking fund 6 per cent gold bonds is offered today by the National City Co. The bonds are dated August 2, to mature August 1, 1936, and are priced at 98 and interest, to yield 6.017 per cent. The proceeds will be used to retire \$573,000 principal amount of first mortgage 5 per cent bonds which will mature September 1, to provide in part for the acquisition of property from the American Cyanamid Co. and for corporate purposes.

R. W. Hynson Felicitated.

R. W. Hynson, manager of the Washington office of the National City Co., was being felicitated yesterday by his many friends in the financial district upon the occasion of the tenth anniversary of the opening of the branch here.

**Mortgage Bankers to Attend.**

An interesting program has been prepared for the convention of the Mortgage Bankers of America at Richmond, Va., September 21 to 23, and it is expected that a large delegation of local mortgage bankers will attend the session.

In addition to the speeches to be made by prominent men of Vir-

ginia and elsewhere there will be held daily discussions on selected topics to be led by experts in matters pertaining to the subject chosen. Gilbert Bowie, of H. L. Rust Co., will lead a discussion on "Methods by which a layman may quickly check up valuations and building costs."

## WALL STREET GOSSIP

New York, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Activity recently in the 4 per cent cumulative preferred stock of the Chicago Great Western Railroad on which there are accumulated dividends of about 41 per cent, or \$14 a share more than the current market price, is attributed to the earning record of the road this year which probably will be the best since its reorganization seventeen years ago. The road's best previous record was \$5.31 a share of the preferred in 1916. Company officials forecast favorable prospects for the second half of 1926.

International Paper Co. is enlarging its Kraft paper mill at Batsto, La., to more than double its present capacity, which is expected to increase the company's earnings substantially. Southern pine is at the mill, which is a low cost producer owing to the cheapness and proximity of the timber. The company has taken over timber limits of about 420 square miles from the Chaleurs Bay Co. on the St. Anne de Restigouche river across from Campbellton, N. B., at a cost of more than \$1,000,000. A newsprint mill will be erected in the vicinity.

Gulf Production Co. now has a daily output of 18,000 barrels of oil in the Spindletop field, Texas, with completion of No. 3 Mann well yielding 6,000 barrels of 27-gravity pipe line oil at a depth of 3,801 feet.

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## Pan-American Flight Cost Set at \$54,000

The army's proposed flight of five airplanes around South America will cost \$54,000. Secretary of War Davis said it would come from the 1927 appropriation and not from the two numerous columns—take from pleasure and incidental expense especially—and add to the food column. The pleasure and incidental money will follow in good time if you are well—and happy—and wise!

A kind reader has sent us a recipe for raspberry mousse which we are going to pass along at once. It comes to us from Mrs. McCann, of Cambridge, Mass.

Raspberry Mousse.

To one cup of sweet cream, whipped stiff, add one cup of sugar, one cup of raspberry juice and the juice of one lemon. Put in a pail and then pack in ice and salt, allowing it to stand four hours. This is delicious and very easy to make.

This is deemed a wise investment in view of the thorough test to be obtained both as to the particular airplanes used and practicability of air communication between the nations of the western hemisphere.

## GENEVA WILL DISCUSS SALE OF SAAR MINES

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gold to balance the budget and escape the endless chain of foreign loans, upon which high rates of interest would be required, will nevertheless exist for some time.

**Affects Reparations Payments.**

The reparations commission

would have to endorse the plan of

the German purchase, as Germany's

financial resources are tied up under

the Dawes plan. In other words,

if Germany can raise sufficient money to buy the mines back, she can raise

that additional sum to pay the allies,

according to the theory of the

Dawes plan. If she borrows the

huge sum involved and agrees to

pay interest on it, the sums she is

to pay in interest should be given over to the payment of reparations according to the same theory.

But it is considered possible that

some special loan might be made to

Germany to take care of the projected plan if it is agreeable to the

French government. In pursuance

of such a plan, it is declared, American

financial interests would be willing

to make unusual terms to

the German government on the

ground that the consummation of

the project would have a stabilizing

effect on economic conditions in

Europe generally.

**Purchase of Towns Opposed.**

Published reports that the German

government was considering the

purchase from Belgium of the

border towns of Eupen and Malmedy

for \$40,000,000 are not taken

seriously in diplomatic circles here.

This has long been an idea pro-

moted by the president of the

Reichsbank of Germany, but there is

nothing to show that the German

government endorses it. The reparations commission would probably decline to sanction the use of Germany's mortgaged finances for any such purchase. Besides, the

all divisions were operating at cap-

acity after a slight midsummer slow-  
ing up.

Previous record monthly sales were

in April this year, a total of 122,742 cars.

Mr. Sloan said he does not look for

any material falling off for the next

three months, which he thought was as far ahead as it was safe to predict.

Stockholders of People's Gas

Light & Coke Co. will have the

privilege of subscribing to addi-

tional stock to the extent of 10 per

cent of paying cash, making

either four or ten percent payments over

a period of one year. Rights ac-

curse to holders of record October 15. Subscriptions close November 15.

Estimated net operating income

of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St.

Paul for July is placed at about

\$500,000 more than the \$427,054

for July, 1925, due to lower operat-

ing expenses and a decrease in

equipment rent owing to the larger

number of cars owned this year.

Gross earnings of the Associated

Gas & Electric System for the

twelve months ended June 30, 1926,

were \$26,848,635, compared

with \$9,420,516 for the previous

twelve months, an increase of 185 per

cent. Earnings of new properties

are included only from the sys-

tem they were taken into the sys-

tem.

**CURB MARKET REVIEW.**

New York, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Price fluctuations in curb market securities today, with the exception of a few specialties, continued to range around the 100 mark. The market was in fairly broad demand and public utilities lacked their customary activity.

Among the specialties in which

marked strength developed was Na-

tional Casket, which closed about 15

points above the previous close. West-

ern Motor Corporation, which had

been trading at 100, was up to 105

and 1/2. Standard Oil, which had

been trading at 100, was up to 102

and 1/2. New York Telephone, which

had been trading at 100, was up to 101

and 1/2. American Cyanamid, which

had been trading at 100, was up to 101

and 1/2. International Paper, which

had been trading at 100, was up to 101

and 1/2. American Can, which had

been trading at 100, was up to 101

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Refining, which had been trading at

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## STOCKS MOVE UPWARD AFTER EARLY SETBACK

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

MONDAY, AUGUST 23, 1926.

**Steel Rallies Sharply; General Motors Up 5 1/8 Points; Rails Show Strength.**

### OIL LIST REMAINS DULL

**Special to The Washington Post.**  
New York, Aug. 23.—After alternate periods of weakness and strength, the stock market this afternoon turned upward making gains of from 1 to 10 points. Trading was mostly of professional character, and indications are that the market is destined to settle into irregular trading until after Labor Day. There was little in the way of buying or selling to indicate the situation, and in the absence of market-wise developments, traders adopted the policy of following the line of least resistance. Credit conditions remained satisfactory, with money available for loan on stock exchange collateral at 4 1/2 per cent.

Speculators for the decline in securities hastened to cover their short commitments this morning when it became evident that last week's reaction had about run its course. Steel was weak at the start as speculators for the decline sought to establish a generally lower range of prices by creating an appearance of weakness in one of the leading industrials. Several large blocks of the stock were thrown over by brokers who ordinarily act for big professional traders, who, as a rule, make their heaviest plays on the short side.

The weight of these offerings was sufficient to drive the stock down temporarily to 148%, within a fraction of the recent low level. Then the market showed strength which developed toward midday checked the downward movement and encouraged enough repurchasing to cause a rather sharp rally all along the line. Steel advanced to 152%, 1% points higher than Saturday's closing.

General Motors, starting at 201, moved up steadily throughout the session. That considerable of the selling in this leader since the declaration of the stock dividend two weeks ago has been for speculative account became apparent today. Several of the most prominent brokers were said to have become extremely nervous over their position. The result was an urgent covering movement in the stock, which gathered momentum as the day advanced. The manner in which large offerings of the issue had been absorbed during the past week was the principal reason back of the retreat of the shorts.

Strength in the stock which carried it up to 210 1/2, for a net gain on the day of 8 1/8 points, turned the general list upward and many substantial recoveries were made.

The most important net gains were in Du Pont and some of the leading rails. The former stock sold as low as 299 in the first hour, then followed General Motors in an upward swing to 308, the closing price, and a net gain of 8 1/2 points. Canadian Pacific advanced 10 points on sales of but 500 shares. Central of New Jersey advanced 9 points over Saturday's closing price on one small sale.

Northeastern railroad shares were in brisk demand throughout the session at higher prices. Of the nondividend paying rails, Wash. & South was in heaviest demand. This issue advanced 2 1/2 points above Saturday and well above the best price of last week.

Rock Island, Texas & Pacific and several other of the lower priced issues also responded to buying orders.

For a time it appeared that the general list of rail shares was to be used as it was last week to add stimulus at a time when the industrial list was tiring. Moderate advances in Atchison, New York Central and other standard rails, however, were not followed by any general move in the rails. Among the high-priced issues, Norfolk & Western, apparently in response to reports of renewed leasing negotiations by Pennsylvania, was strong.

In the industrial division strength was displayed in Air Reduction, Allied Chemical & Dye, American Linseed, American Woolen, Baldwin Locomotive, Butterick, Case Threshing Machine, National Tea, Warner Pictures and many others.

Oils remained dull, making little response to higher gasoline prices or to the buying in General Asphalt, which moved up from a low of 6 1/2 to 90 1/4, with the preferred stock advancing from 132 to 139, then settling back to 137.

General heaviness prevailed in dull foreign exchange market dealings. Cotton bills again depressed sterling moderately. French francs stayed 3 1/2 points, Belgian francs lost 3 points, lire nearly as much and pesetas 8 points. The Greek revolution news boosted the drachma 4 1/4 points.

### BOSTON CLOSING BIDS.

**Special to The Washington Post.**  
Boston, Aug. 23—Closing bids:

Aeroskeas	51 1/2
American Tel.	142
Boston Elevated	84 1/2
C. & H. Co.	17 1/2
Compt. Range	17 1/2
National Leather	100
New England Tel.	115
New Haven	45 1/2
Nor. P. O. (175)	14 1/2
North Butte	23
Swift & International	20 1/2
United Fruit	111 1/2
United Shoe	51 1/2
Warren Bros.	49 1/2

### RANGE OF STOCK PRICES.

**Special to The Washington Post.**  
New York, Aug. 23—Average of fifteen representative industrials:

High.	Low.	Last
Today	94 1/2	93 65
Wednesday	150 34	150 53
Last week	154 97	151 97
Last month	145 24	146 00
Last year	129 07	127 11
Average of fifteen representatively railroads:	129 07	128 66
High.	Low.	Last
Today	94 86	93 65
Wednesday	150 34	150 53
Last week	95 14	93 63
Last month	89 02	88 19
Last year	81 72	80 89
Int. Comb. Eng. (2)	100	98 1/2
Int. Comb. Eng. (3)	200	198 50
Int. Harvester pf. (7)	112 1/2	125 12
Int. Match par. pf. (220)	2 64	63 34
Int. Match Marlin	2 23	27 24
Int. Nickel (2)	13 71	16 24
Int. Paper (2) pf. (7)	12 61	60 61

**PARIS MONEY MARKET.**  
Paris, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Prices improved on the bourse today. Three per cent rents, 49 francs 90 centimes. Five per cent loan, 53 francs 60 centimes. The dollar was quoted at 36 francs 65 centimes.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

MONDAY, AUGUST 23, 1926.

Sales High Low Last Chg. Bid

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Int. Tel. &amp; Tel. 6s. . . . .

Jewell Tea, Inc. pf. exp. 9-1 . . . . .

Jones-Laugh. Stl. pf. (7) . . . . .

Jordan Motor Car (3) . . . . .

Kaufman S. S. Corp. . . . . .

Kelly-Springfield 8 1/2 pf. . . . .

Kenecott Copper (4) . . . . .

Lionard Corp. (1) . . . . .

Kinney (R. H.) Co. (4) . . . . .

Kress (G. S.) Co. (120) . . . . .

Lago Oil &amp; Trans. . . . .

Lander Co. (350) . . . . .

Lanier Corp. (1) . . . . .

Life Savers ctgs. (1,600) . . . . .

L. M. Myers Tob. (4b) . . . . .

L. M. Myers Tob. B (4b) . . . . .

Lowell Corp. (2) . . . . .

Loft, Inc. . . . . .

Long Bell Lum. A (4) . . . . .

Loose Wiles Biscuit . . . . .

Louisiana Oil Co. . . . . .

L. N. &amp; G. (5,600) . . . . .

Louis G. &amp; El. A (1,75) . . . . .

Lubricating Oil Co. . . . . .

Lucky Strike 8 1/2 pf. . . . .

MacK Trucks (6) . . . . .

Mack Trucks (6) . . . . .

Macy (P. H.) Co. . . . . .

Maguire Corp. (3) . . . . .

Mahlon &amp; Co. &amp; Co. . . . .

Mam. Safety Razor (3) . . . . .

Man. Safety Razors (3) . . . . .

Man. Smeiting pf. (7) . . . . .

Man. Steel Fds. (3) . . . . .

Man. Sumatra Ton. new . . . . .

Man. Tel. &amp; Tel. (9) . . . . .

Man. Tobacco (8) . . . . .

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WASHINGTON: TUESDAY, AUGUST 24, 1926.

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## MOLLA MALLORY WINS U. S. TITLE IN TENNIS EPIC

## Browns Take First From Nats, 8-4

Murray Taken From Box After Allowing Four Runs.

Giard Also Generous With Passes; Rice Stars at Bat.

By FRANK H. YOUNG.  
ONLY a handful of fans were on hand at Georgia avenue stadium yesterday to see the opening game of the series with the Browns. It was Buddy Myer day, so proclaimed by a delegation of boosters for "Ole Miss." Those present may "Know Mississippi Better" now, but it's a certainty that they did not learn a whole lot about baseball by watching the Nats play, for they did not perform well at all and were beaten by the Sislerites, 8 to 4.

The Mount Cityans scored their runs in two clusters of four. The first of these the Nats were able to equal, but they made no progress at all in whittling down this second bunch.

**G**EORGE MURRAY started on the hill for the home team and he looked like a million dollars in the opener, when he fanned the first two to face him and forced the next batter to foul to Tate.

Thereafter, however, his stock started slipping and you couldn't give it away near the end. Fred Marberry relieved him in the eighth and finished out the string.

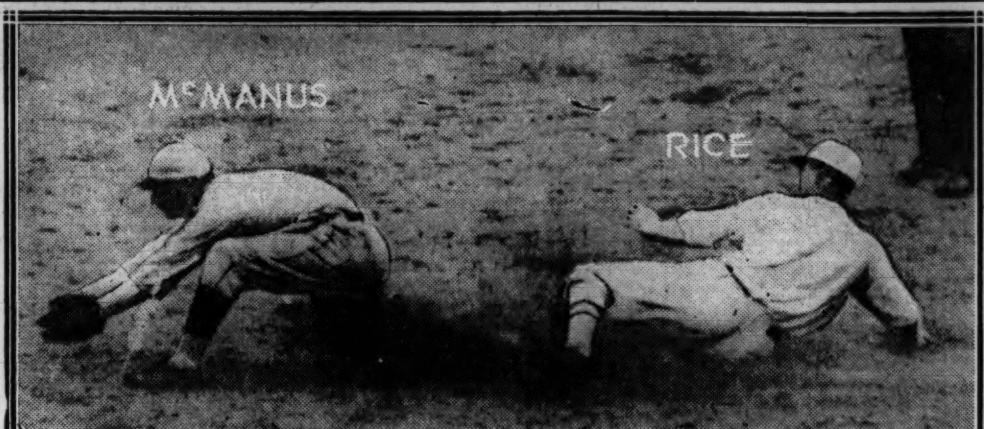
Joe Giard drew the assignment from Sisler, and while he was fairly effective when he got the ball over, he had his troubles locating the plate, passing eight during the pastime and out of the picture entirely after having issued two to the first two Nats up in the seventh. Win Ballou relieved him, but was crowded out to let Ken Williams fan for him, and Ernie Wingard hurled the last two frames.

Harry Rice led the visitors with the bat, getting a trio of safeties, while four other Browns also seemed to like the Nat brand of pitching, getting two bungles apiece. McNeely, with two doubles and a one-shot, was the most consistent swatting for the Nats, with Sam Rice and George Murray being the only other members of the Harrisonian team to get more than one.

Myer, Miller and Gerber contributed the fielding features. Buddy made a fine catch of Robertson's near Texas leaguer to halt the alien rally in the third; Gerber made an important grab which robbed Myer of a safety in the second, while Bing backed up against the scoreboard to fasten himself on the end of a wicked clout from Sam Rice's bat with two on in the sixth session.

**O**NLY one Brownie got on the paths in the first two frames, but traffic certainly was heavy in the third when (CONTINUED ON PAGE 15, COLUMN 3.)

**S**AM RICE "HIT THE DIRT" IN A FUTILE ATTEMPT TO AVOID A FORCE-OUT first on a hit but was eliminated from the base lines when Gerber took Myer's grounder and threw to McManus. The St. Louis second baseman had to reach for the throw but he reached out and kicked the bag shortly before Rice reached there on his slide. The play nipped a potential rally by Washington.



Hugh Miller, Post Staff Photographer.

## CHAMP VISITS SCENE OF BOUT

**We Want Tunney, Is Shout of Marines at Stadium.**

**P**HILADELPHIA, Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Jack Dempsey, stopping off today en route to his new training camp at Atlantic City, inspected the site for his heavyweight championship battle with Gene Tunney September 23. The champion, together with his wife, Promoter Tex Rickard, Mayor Kendrick and others, visited the arena within the inclosure of the Sesquicentennial exposition grounds.

Dempsey was highly impressed with the huge \$3,000,000 municipal stadium. As he looked about him at the high tiers of seats, he exclaimed:

"This is a knockout of a place. What a spot it will be when it is built!"

The titleholder left for Atlantic City tonight after a conference with Rickard. He intends to start training tomorrow provided that his camp is ready for him.

When Dempsey arrived at Broad street station he was greeted by a crowd of several thousand that jammed the station and blocked traffic in the streets. The throng poured after him into the city hall and into the mayor's offices.

**A**FTER inspecting the stadium, Dempsey was a guest of honor at a luncheon at the Sesquicentennial grounds, attended by Mayor Kendrick and E. L. Austin, director general of the exposition.

On his way out of the exposition grounds Dempsey was driven by an entourage of 1,000 marines. They gave him a cordial "Hello, Jack," but in the next breath burst into yells. "We want Tunney."

Rickard opened headquarters here today, bringing with him a staff of assistants from Madison Square Garden.

## THIRD STRAIGHT LOSS

ST. LOUIS.	A.B.R. H. PO.A.E.
Bennett, If.....	4 2 2 3 0
H. Rice, cf. 3b.....	5 1 3 3 0
Miller, rf.....	4 1 2 2 0
McManus, 2b.....	5 0 1 5 4
Schang, c.....	4 1 2 3 4
Ruth, 3b.....	1 0 0 6 5
Durst, cf.....	2 2 2 0 3
Gerber, ss.....	0 0 0 1 0
Gibson, 1b.....	2 0 0 0 1
Harris, p.....	0 0 0 0 1
Wingard, p.....	1 0 0 0 0
Totals.....	36 8 12 15 0
WASHINGTON. A.B.R. H. PO.A.E.	
McNeely, If.....	4 1 2 2 0
H. Rice, cf. 3b.....	5 0 2 2 0
Miller, rf.....	3 1 0 5 3
Gostlin, cf.....	4 1 1 1 0
Reeves, 1b.....	0 0 0 0 0
Reeves, 3b.....	1 0 0 1 0
Bluege, 3b.....	1 0 0 1 0
Judge, 1b.....	1 0 0 1 0
Murphy, p.....	4 2 2 0 0
Marberry, p.....	0 0 0 1 0
*Peekinpanig.....	1 0 0 0 0
Totals.....	32 4 9 27 12
St. Louis.....	0 0 2 0 0 0 2 0 0 0
Washington.....	0 0 2 0 0 0 2 0 0 0

\*Batted for Ballou in the eighth.

\*\*Batted for Reeves in the ninth.

Two-base hits—Bennett, McNeely.

(2). Three-base hit—H. Rice, Stolen.

Home—Schang. Sacrifices—J. Harris, Gerber, Ruth. Walks—Reeves to Stiles; St. Louis, 7; Washington, 12.

First base on—Orr, Glard, S. Rice, of

Murphy, 21, on Tunney, 1. Struck

out—Ballou, 1, by Murphy; Gostlin, 1, by Marberry, 1. Hits—Glard, 7 in 6 innigs; of Murphy, 10 in 11 innigs (none out in eighth); of Ballou, 1 in 2 innigs; of Wining, 1 in 2 innigs. Hit by pitched ball—By Murphy, 1. Schang, Miller, Wining, Ballou, Losing, pitcher—Murphy. Umpires—Meers, Nallin, Hildebrand and Owens. Time of game—2 hours and 10 minutes.

## Frank Lockhart Wins 150-Mile Auto Race

Charlotte, N. C., Aug. 23 (By A. P.)—Frank Lockhart today sped his way into the affection of Carolina racing fans when he emerged with a major share of glory in the semiannual races at the local speedway.

Driving before a gathering of some 20,000 persons, Lockhart won both the 50-mile event and the 150-mile race, the latter the feature run of the day. His average speed for the long race was 120.54 miles an hour and his time 1:14:27. Frank Elliott flashed over the finishing line a goodly distance behind him, and next came Eddie Hearne.

Matching Lockhart's daring and winning performances, however, was Earl Cooper's establishment of a new international record when he negotiated the 25 miles at an average speed of 128.9 miles an hour. His time was 1:13:05.

Lockhart was runner-up in this event and Bob McDonogh third. Cooper's record was for mounts having 91 cubic inch motors.

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**Expert Picks  
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**Blue Fish to Win in  
Return Start, Is  
Opinion.**

**Leo Lampe, in Fifth  
at Kenilworth Is  
Called Best.**

By BERT E. COLLYER.

**HOT TAQUES.** This has nothing to do with Molly's visit to the beach, and the only reference to dogs is that I am going to slip you a few how-wows that should come prancing home. So gather closely, and get in on the juicy melons that are to be served out at Lincoln Field. **INFANTA** is the warm mamma in the sixth spasm. Col. Robert Baker has already given out the good word to a score or more members of the fair sex, and it is certain that the Kentuckian would not speak an untruth to the ladies. This is good enough for me—in fact, I'm going to increase my wager to five slugs—and right on the old bezer.

Looks like Johnny Coburn claimed a rather useful place in **BLUE FISH** the other day. This 3-year-old started right back in "high society," but let that make no never mind. I know something about 10 to your own money back to what this "baby" will say, and don't be looking out the window now that you have been "wised up" by your Uncle Bertram.

**CRUSADER** appears to be the jammy thing for the Hudson stakes. Was away to a bad break last time. Is a superior mudder, and should have no trouble in reversing his most recent defeat over in Canada.

The good word is for **LEO LAMPE**. This one goes in the fifth heat and the chief of staff sends the happy chatter that it is all over but the shouting.

More anon.

**LINCOLN FIELDS.** First race—Idle Thoughts, Redskin. Green-

Second race—Wayward, Golden Lynn, Dutch Girl.

Third race—Man, Gabaldon, Jessie Belle.

Fourth race—Firetona, Magic Light, Alard.

Fifth race—Loverly Manner, Doctor Washington.

Sixth race—Infante, Imperial Eagle, Bachelor Bird.

Seventh race—McCulloch, Blarneystone, Fuso.

Best—Infante.

**SARATOGA.** First race—Bluebird Transfer.

Second race—Gamble, All Gone, Post Time.

Third race—Fireopal, S. Lotus, Candy Dot.

Fourth race—Golden Riddle, Farm entry, Pomper, Display.

Fifth race—Blueban, St. John Sherman.

Sixth race—Donnes Mol, Queen Candy, Premer, Blueblaze.

**KENILWORTH.** First race—Kammkami, Colored Girl, Dexter.

Second race—Primrose, Primrose.

Third race—Lieutenant Farrell, Finlay, Kinsman.

Fourth race—Caveman, Barrow, Korby.

Fifth race—Le Lampo, The Cocoon, Star Dust.

Sixth race—Prince K., Mary Contrary, Betsy Brown.

Seventh race—Hill, S. Doughnut, Merrimac.

Most probable winner—Infante.

Out to catch a chance—Blubell.

Best—Le Lampo, Lovely Manners.

Dennes Mol, to place.

**45-Day Race Meeting Starts at Miami Jan. 13**

Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Aug. 23. There will be 45 days of racing at Miami next winter. This was decided upon at meeting of the executive committee of the Miami Jockey Club held here today.

The third season of the association, which revived the sport in Florida last year, will begin January 13 and end March 9. The minimum purse will be \$1,500. The official staff will be same as last year. H. J. Morris, J. B. Campbell and John L. Day will be in the stewards' stand. The placing judges will be J. S. Wallace, A. Burleson and J. P. Turner. Mrs. Cassidy will be the starter and Mr. Campbell will serve as racing secretary.

**LINCOLN FIELD ENTRIES.**

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**Goettge, Liversedge  
Transferred to Aid  
Coach Keady.**

**New Hampshire Uni-  
versity Donates All  
Facilities.**

By JUNO KINERK.

WITH the service baseball championship added to its list of conquests as the result of the series with the Navy in Philadelphia last week, the athletic spotlight with the Quantico Marines now has turned to football. And the attention has turned so emphatically that the gridiron sport is the sole subject on the tip of every tongue.

Just by way of giving football added incentive the announcement was made today by Marine headquarters that Lieuts. Liversedge and Goettge, both former stars with the Devil Dogs, had been transferred back to Quantico to assist with the coaching of the team. Both officers were stationed at Hampton Roads, and their addition to the staff is a material boost for the team's chances this year.

It is expected that Lieut. Goettge, who was one of the best backfield men in the country and perhaps the best ever to play with the Marines, will assist in getting the backs into formation, while Lieut. Liversedge will confine his attention to the linemen. Capt. Howard, assistant athletic director, also will be on the coaching staff.

THE work of getting the team in condition for its hard schedule will start September 1, when the squad of 45 men and the coaching staff will depart for the gridiron camp at Durham, N. H. Durham is the site of New Hampshire university, which has donated the use of its field and all its facilities for whipping the team into condition.

The climax to the training will be reached September 25, when the season will open with a genuine game between the two teams—the first of the season for each. Prior to this opening game the two teams are expected to go through scrimmage sessions against one another, and the mutual benefits are expected to do much toward getting both in tiptop shape.

As a nucleus for this year's eleven, Coach Keady has two former Maryland university stars for his backfield in Pugh and Bailey. To round out the backfield there are Ryckman and Woods, both from San Diego, Calif., who are brilliant players, and Brunelle, who was a sensational ball carrier last year. In the line the veterans, Duncan and Stock, remain, and it is around this pair that the first line of defense will be formed.

The training camp season will end with the New Hampshire game, and the next game for the Marines will be in Washington, October 2, when King College will be met.

**Mrs. Mida Medalist  
In Women's Western**

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 23 (By A. P.). Bagging an eagle, four birds and eight pars in a round in a steady shower, Mrs. Lee W. Mida, ranking player of the Butterfield Country club, Chicago, took medalist honors in the qualifying round of the women's Western championship tournament today with a remarkable 80, two under women's par for the difficult number four course at Olympia Fields.

Miss O. S. Hill, Meadowlark, Kansas City, took second honors among the 32 qualifiers with 83, and Mrs. Harley Higbie, Detroit Country club, last year's runner-up, was third with 85.

**Syracuse Courtmen  
Booked by Wisconsin**

Madison, Wis., Aug. 24.—Wisconsin's 1926-27 basketball five will meet Syracuse university on the hard boards next winter, according to the announcement of Mr. W. E. Meanwell, Badger coach. The intersectional contest has been scheduled for January 3, and is to be played at Cleveland, Ohio.

The game is being sponsored by the Cleveland Alumni associations of both institutions, and is to be staged in the large auditorium of that city, which will accommodate more than 12,000 people.

Syracuse university, from past records and early dope, will come West as a logical representative of the East.

**COCA COLA MIDGETS MEET.**

There will be a meeting of the Coca Cola Midgets tonight at Seventh and D streets. Teams desiring games with the Colas, telephone Manager Katman at Franklin 16181.

**THE DESIRE TO CHANGE JOBS**

should be encouraged, when the motive back of it is genuine ambition. If you're really ambitious, keep your eye alert to better opportunities, and the opportunities presented from day to day in the Help Wanted columns of *The Post*. Better still, make a bid for a position, based on the field to a position exceptionally desirable, by yourself using the Situations Wanted column.

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Lieut. Gov. Dennis Murphree and his delegation of Mississippians were on hand yesterday and they made up the bulk of the gathering. With the weather threatening and the Browns, seventh-place team, here, no one seemed particularly interested.

Before the game started, the usual photographs were taken and Buddie Myer, the hero of the day, was presented with a cane which he probably will find handy 25 years hence.

PRESIDENT GRIFFITH is busily engaged trying to get an exhibition date somewhere in the vicinity of Cleveland on September 9. The Nats draw four blanks after the Labor day games here and open the fifth city on September 11.

Massillon already has been given the September 8 date and the Old Fox is now in correspondence with several teams in an effort to arrange a game for the following day.

St. Louis will be here again this afternoon. Harris stated last night that he planned to give Alvin Crowder the pitching assignment, while Sisler intimated that Tom Zachary, former Nat, would toll for his team.

The Nationals are not planning to look at all of their new talent before the Tampa training session next spring. Two pitchers will be obtained shortly, if possible, President Griffith having asked Little Rock to let him have Joe Carroll and Bridgeport to give up Van Alstyne.

With a tough Western trip coming, the Nats will need pitching help, and if Manager Harris has his way, these two youngsters will join the team at Cleveland. As the seasons in their own leagues close on September 19, the chances are that their managers will let them go a week earlier.

Sonny Burdine, former Eastern high star, who has been playing well with the St. Joseph's team in the Capital City League, was given a tryout by the Harrismen yesterday. The lad bears all the earmarks of being a most promising flyhawk, but he probably needs some minor league experience before hoping to make good in the majors.

ALTHOUGH the Washington club still holds an option on Pitcher Harry Kelley, the chances are that he will not be brought back here, but will be used as trading material.

Manager Harris feels that he will have plenty of talent on hand without "the Kid," who already has been given two chances here. Already ten young flingers have been signed up for next season, including those now with the team. Marberry, Crowder, Murray and Morell are sure to go next season, while Hadley, Lisenbee, Carroll, Van Alstyne, Thompson and Ordern figure to be fine prospects.

Add to these the veterans now on the pay roll and Bucky believes he will have one of the best mound staffs in the big leagues. Of course, he is basing his opinion in many cases on the recommendations of the scouts, and the players' records in the bushes, and all will not make good. In fact, the percentage of minor leaguers starring in the majors in their first year is rather small, but several seem to be exceptional.

Bob Reeves' injured hand is completely healed and he now reports himself ready. He suddenly was placed on third in yesterday's frames and uncorked a wild throw on the only fielding chance he had.

**NOTICE TO MIDGETS.**

The managers of the Hartfords and the Kid Kellys are requested to telephone Manager Katman, the Coca Cola Midgets, at Franklin 8831.

**BEALL TO QUIT GRID.**

Malvin "Yock" Beall, who has played halfback for the Southern Juniors the past three seasons, has decided to look on from the side lines this season.

**CORINTHANS MEET ELKS.**

The Corinthian Insects meet the Elk nine this afternoon at 1 o'clock on the East ellipse. Players are requested to report at noon.

**RUSSELL INSECTS WIN.**

The Russell Insects, by walking the McNeely Insects yesterday 9 to 1, chalked up its fifteenth consecutive victory. McMillen, featured at bat for the winners. Russell allowed but three hits.

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### LOCAL STATIONS ESTATE STANDARD TIME

NAA—Arlington (435)  
10:30 a. m.—Weather reports, and 10:05 p. m.—Weather reports.  
WRC—Radio Corp. of America (469)  
8:15 a. m.—Morning health exercises, conducted with WEAF.  
11:55 a. m.—Arlington time signals.  
1:00 p. m.—W. Spencer Tupman's Hotel Mayflower orchestra.  
6:55 p. m.—Baseball scores.  
7:00 p. m.—"The Voice of the Silent Drama—Men of Steel."  
7:57 p. m.—Concert by the United States Marine band.  
9:00 p. m.—Royal Salom orchestra.  
9:30 p. m.—The Flushing Boys.  
10:00 to 11:00 p. m.—W. Spencer Tupman's Hotel Mayflower orchestra.  
WML—Lees Radio Co. (213)

7 p. m.—Iris for the Home Garden, a talk on the home garden by W. R. Ballard.  
7:30 p. m.—Edith Reed in a piano recital of popular selections.

7:45 p. m.—Dance program, to be announced.

DISTANT STATIONS

KDKA—Pittsburgh (309)

8:30 to 8:15 p. m.—Continuous.

7:40 p. m.—News.

8:30 p. m.—Concert.

KFJ—Los Angeles (467)

8:30 p. m.—Program.

KMOX—St. Louis (280)

8 p. m.—Orchestra.

11 p. m.—Theatrical.

KMTR—Hollywood, Calif. (238)

7 to 12 p. m.—Program.

KTHS—Hot Springs (375)

9 to 11 p. m.—Frolics.

KYW—Chicago (335)

7 to 12 p. m.—Continuous.

KOA—Denver (256)

8 p. m.—Stocks.

9:30 p. m.—Program.

WAJU—Columbus (294)

6 to 9 p. m.—Continuous.

WBAL—Baltimore (246)

6 p. m.—Program.

WBHM—Chicago (286)

Silent.

WCAU—Philadelphia (278)

6:30 to 9:30 p. m.—Continuous.

WCX—Detroit (517)

8 to 12 p. m.—Program.

WFA—Philadelphia (305)

6 to 7 p. m.—Program.

WEAF—New York (492)

7:30 p. m.—Gold Dust.

8 p. m.—Eveready hour.

9 p. m.—Continuous.

WFAA—Dallas (476)

7:30 p. m.—Orchestra.

8:30 p. m.—Program.

WGBS—New York (316)

1 to 7:30 p. m.—Hourly.

WGY—Schenectady (380)

6:25 p. m.—Baseball.

WGR—Buffalo (319)

7:30 p. m.—Same as WEAF.

WHAM—Rochester, N. Y. (278)

6:30 p. m.—Orchestra.

WHO—Des Moines (526)

7:30 to 10 p. m.—Continuous.

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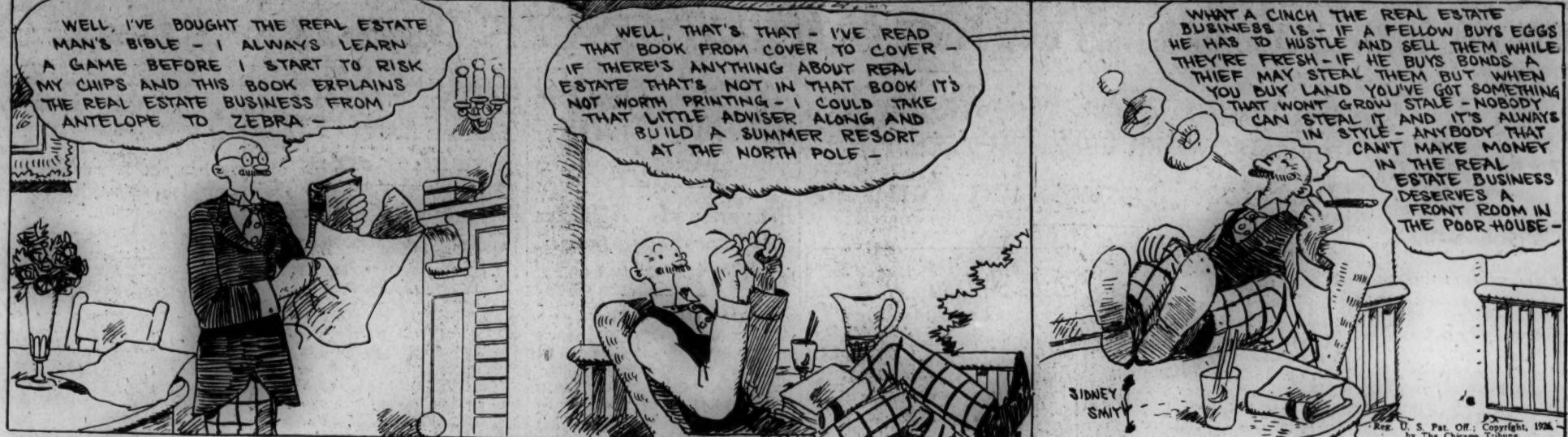
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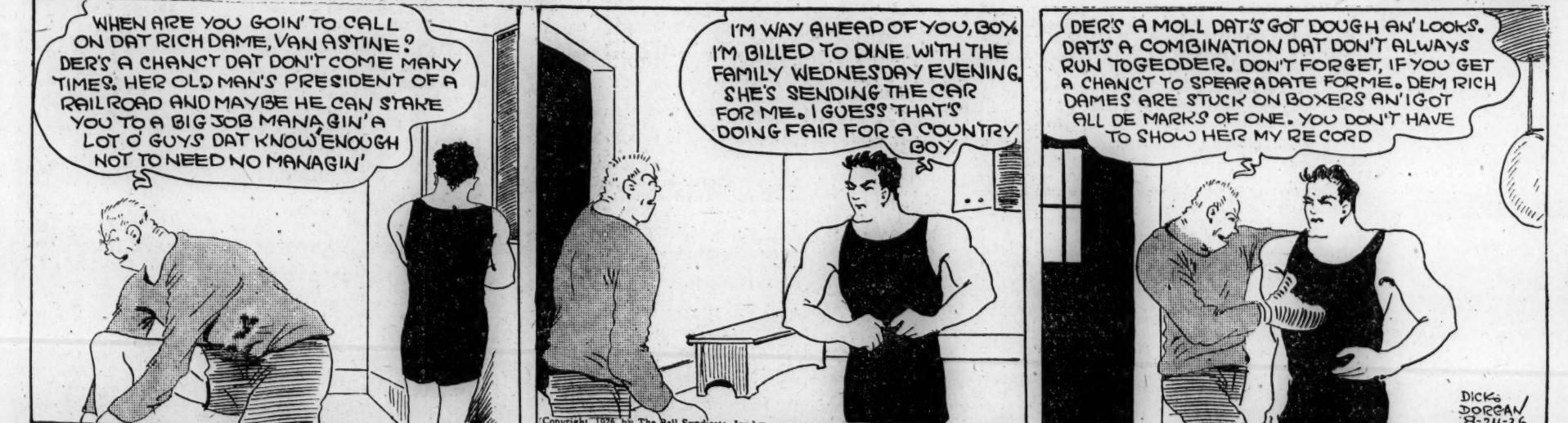


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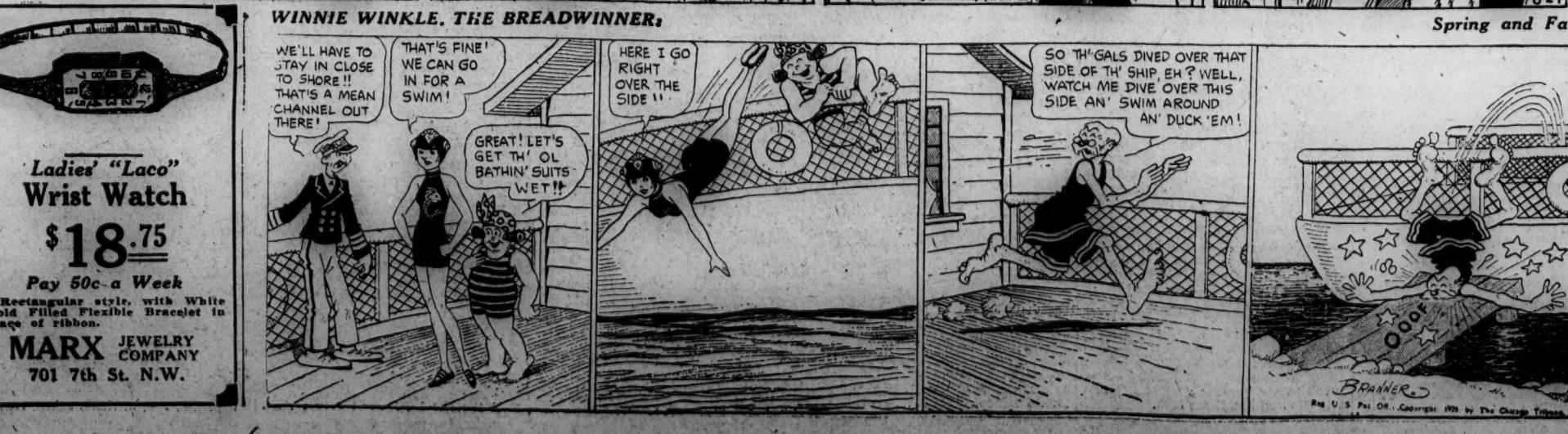
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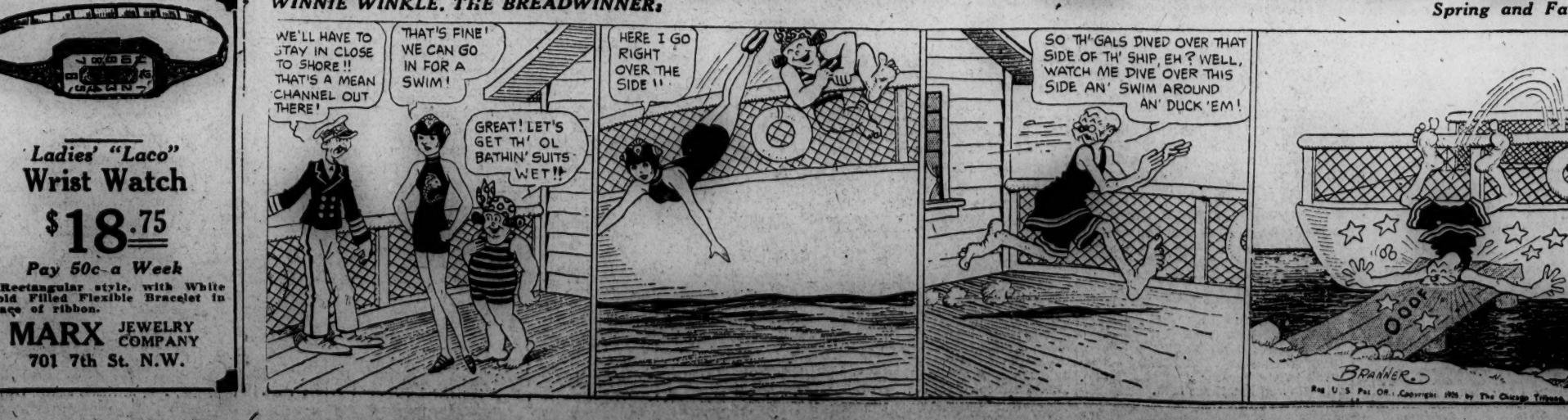


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## RUDOLPH RETURNS; BOARD TO CONSIDER TRAFFIC AND FUNDS

Full Membership to Attend Meeting Today; First Time in Three Weeks.

COUNCIL WILL CONFER ON BUDGET SLASHES

Increased Speed on 13 Streets and Health Rules to Be Considered.

The District board of commissioners will consider a number of important items today at its first full meeting for three weeks. Cuno H. Rudolph, president of the board, returned yesterday from his vacation and spent the day and last evening going over the cuts made in District 1928 estimates by his colleagues during his absence.

Selection of the year's street widening program and decision on the director of traffic's request to have Fifteenth and Seventeenth streets northwest made one-way thoroughfares from H street to Rhode Island avenue, head the list of matters to be considered by the commissioners today. The two issues will be taken up jointly because both the streets proposed for one-way traffic are also recommended for widening. If they are to be widened the reason for making them one-way streets will disappear.

Will Consider Traffic Changes.

Extension of the system of automatic traffic signals and naming of thirteen boulevards on which it is proposed to increase the speed limit to 30 miles an hour are two traffic measures that will be before the board.

Another important measure is the proposed new regulation to govern display for sale of meat and other foodstuffs recommended last week by Dr. William C. Fowler, District health officer. Edward D. Shaw, secretary of the Merchants and Manufacturers association, called on Commissioner Rudolph yesterday and asked that the meat market men be given a new hearing before the commissioners vote on the regulation. The commissioners may decide to grant the hearing.

The commissioners will confer in executive session tonight with the members of the citizens' advisory council on budget slashes. At a similar conference last week, Lieut. Col. J. Franklin Bell, engineer commissioner, submitted to the council members specific questions for advice. Answers are expected to be forthcoming to these queries tonight.

**Parents Seek Writ For Release of Son**

Accusing the juvenile court of having overstepped its authority in committing a 17-year-old boy to the National Training school, Alexander Neverson and his wife, Mrs. Marie Neverson, sued out a writ of habeas corpus yesterday in the District Supreme court to secure the release of their son, Hillsie Neverson. The boy is now 18, having been born April 9, 1904, according to the birth certificate attached to the habeas corpus petition.

Through Attorney M. J. Colbert the parents declare that the juvenile court had no right to try a boy over the age of 17 on a larceny charge. Young Neverson was committed in the latter part of April, 1925, on papers gotten out against him a week after he became 17, it is stated. Justice Siddons directed the training school authorities to produce him in court tomorrow.

**Park Commissioners Make Survey of City**

Lieut. Col. J. Franklin Bell, engineer commissioner, yesterday took Frederick Law Olmsted, of Brookline, Mass., and Milton B. Medary, of Philadelphia, members of the National Capital park and planning commission, on a tour of outlying real estate developments, to acquaint them with some of the local conditions with which they will have to deal as members of the commission.

The other members of the automobile party were Maj. U. S. Grant 3d, Capt. H. C. Whitehurst, assistant to the engineer commissioner in zoning and similar matters, and three local builders, B. F. Saul, Rufus Lusk and Harry Kite.

**Two Women Injured In Auto Collision**

Miss Mildred Hoyle, 21 years old, of Chestertown, Md., was critically injured, and Mrs. Russell W. Day, of Philadelphia, hurt yesterday when the automobile of Roland B. Day, of Philadelphia, was in collision with a car driven by Thomas Armat, of the Greystone apartments, on Massachusetts avenue, near Garfield street northwest.

The drivers of both automobiles were arrested and charged at the Seventh precinct station with reckless driving. Miss Hoyle was cut on the head and neck, and Mrs. Day's foot was injured. Both women were in Day's car. They were taken to Mount Alto hospital, where Miss Hoyle was operated on.

**Writ Releases Hospital Inmate.**

Albert Sullivan, patient at St. Elizabeth's hospital, was ordered released yesterday by Justice Bailey in circuit court because the War Department lacked proper commitment papers. Sullivan sued out a writ of habeas corpus through his next friend, John M. Savage.

## 5 Boys in One Coupe Held for Joy-Riding

Five colored boys who were alleged to have wedged themselves into an automobile of the coupe variety which was intended to seat only two, were indicted yesterday by the grand jury on a charge of joyriding. The defendants are Cornelius Robinson, Elmer L. Simmons, John Samuels, Robert Jackson and LeRoy Richardson.

They are alleged to have taken the coupe from its parking place in front of the home of the owner, George Hill, 211 Delaware avenue southwest, on July 1. The coupe crashed into another car at Fifteenth and H streets northeast and the defendants were then arrested by Policemen Godbold and Patton.

## GRAND JURY CHARGES 6 WITH HOUSEBREAKING

Theft of Prescription Whisky From Drug Store Forms Basis of Indictment.

## SEVERAL CASES IGNORED

The grand jury yesterday returned an indictment charging six colored men with housebreaking and larceny in connection with the alleged theft of twelve cases of prescription whisky from the drug store of Dr. Herbert Poole, 3269 M street northwest, on June 26. The defendants are Roland Fields, Wade H. Chestnut, James Flowers, Lloyd Holmes, George Washington and John Mills. According to the police, the defendants admitted having disposed of six cases. The other six were stolen from the defendants by "hijackers," the police stated.

The grand jury ignored a charge of homicide against William M. Buckley in connection with the death of Mary B. Benson. The woman was struck by an automobile as she stepped out of a safety zone at Seventh and B streets northwest on July 7.

Millard Stewart, colored, was exonerated of a charge of arson which resulted from a complaint made by Samuel Andrade, 2700 N street northwest. A shed in the rear of the premises caught fire.

Emmett Simms, colored, was exonerated of a charge of mayhem which resulted from the charge that he struck Franklin B. Parker in the eye on June 21, causing Parker to lose the eye.

The grand jury also ignored charges of setting up a gaming table against Thomas Byrne and Louis Leon, who were arrested July 28 at 1255 Wisconsin avenue northwest. The police of the Seventh precinct stated that they found a bookmaking outfit.

The names of other persons indicted and the charges against them will be found in the daily legal record of The Post.

## TRIAL OF FENNING SET FOR TOMORROW

Former Commissioner to Face Two Charges of Parking Violation.

A new date has been set for the trial of former Commissioner Frederick A. Fenning on a traffic charge. Arrangements were made yesterday by Assistant Corporation Counsel F. W. Madigan with Fenning's counsel, M. F. Mangum, to have the former commissioner in traffic court tomorrow morning.

The former police commissioner is charged with having parked his automobile within three feet of another automobile and to have blocked the driveway of the apartment house at 1800 K street northwest. The arresting officer, Orville Staples, of the Third precinct, left a summons to deposit collateral in Fenning's automobile. When Mr. Fenning failed to appear at the station house to deposit collateral Staples swore out a warrant.

Service of the warrant was delayed for nearly a week by the illness of the policeman and again by the illness of Mr. Mangum. Fenning's counsel. The case was set for last Wednesday, but was postponed because of Mr. Mangum's illness.

## Dominicans Prepare Reports for Rome

Delegates to the St. Joseph province convention of the Dominicans order passed the session yesterday in the Dominican House of Studies, 487 Michigan avenue northeast, in preparing official reports of the action taken to be forwarded to the master general of the order in Rome. Delegates, who have come from colleges, parishes and religious houses from the Atlantic coast to Denver, will leave Washington for their home today.

The official report of the selection of a new provincial to succeed the Very Rev. Raymond Meagher, O.P., whose term expired last week, will be forwarded to Rome, and action will be taken by the master general, it is believed, within ten days. The representation of the delegates in regard to the studies of Dominican students and novices will also be forwarded.

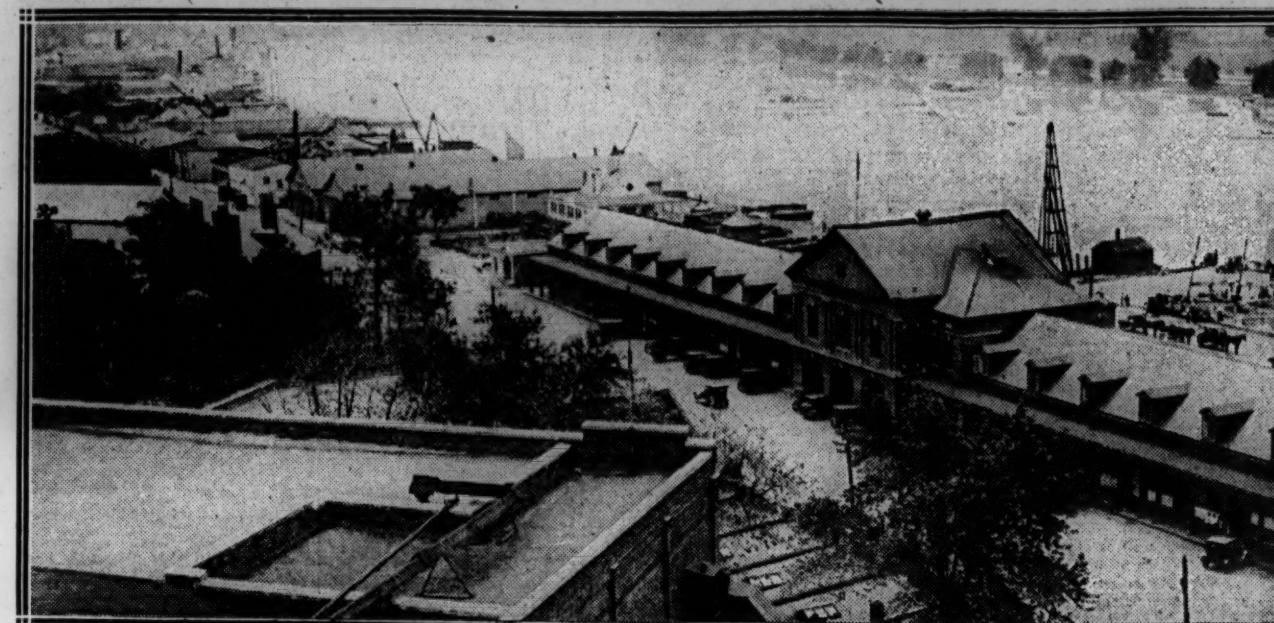
## O'Neill's Death Called Accident.

The coroner's jury yesterday found a verdict of accidental death at an inquest in the case of Stephen O'Neill, 28 years old, a mail carrier, of 112 Third street northwest, who died in Casualty hospital Sunday from injuries received Friday when he walked into an automobile. His death was caused by a fractured skull and shock, the coroner's jury found.

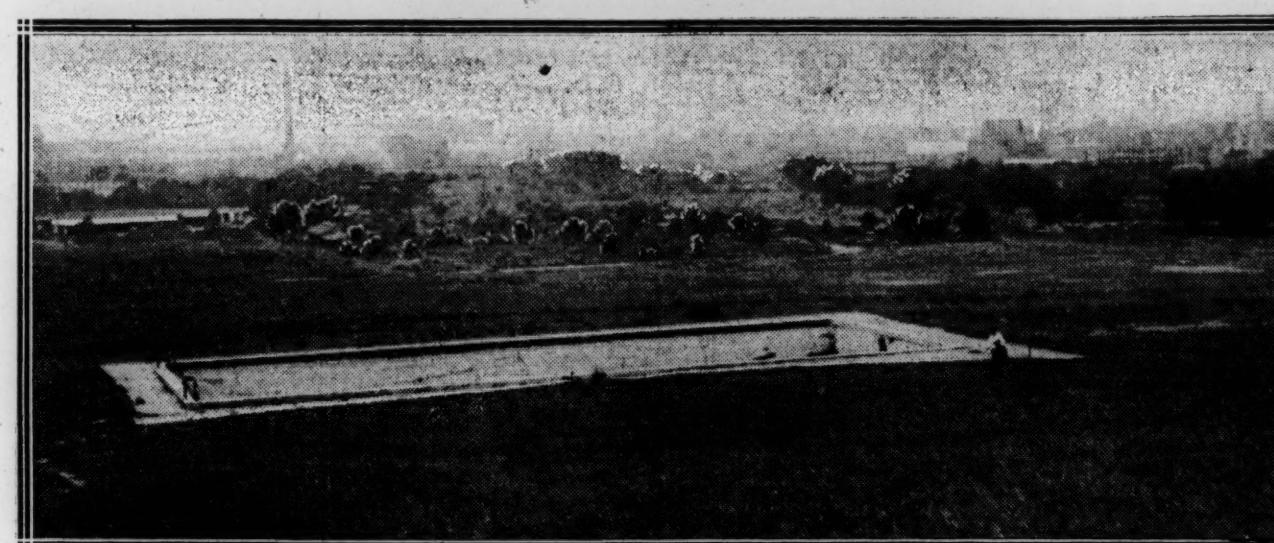
## Woman Is Injured in Leap.

After an altercation with her husband at 7 Madison court yesterday in which she said she was hit in the head with a bottle, Marie Pinkney, 27 years old, ran to the second floor and jumped out of a window. She is in a serious condition in Emergency hospital suffering from cuts in the back of her head. Her husband was arrested.

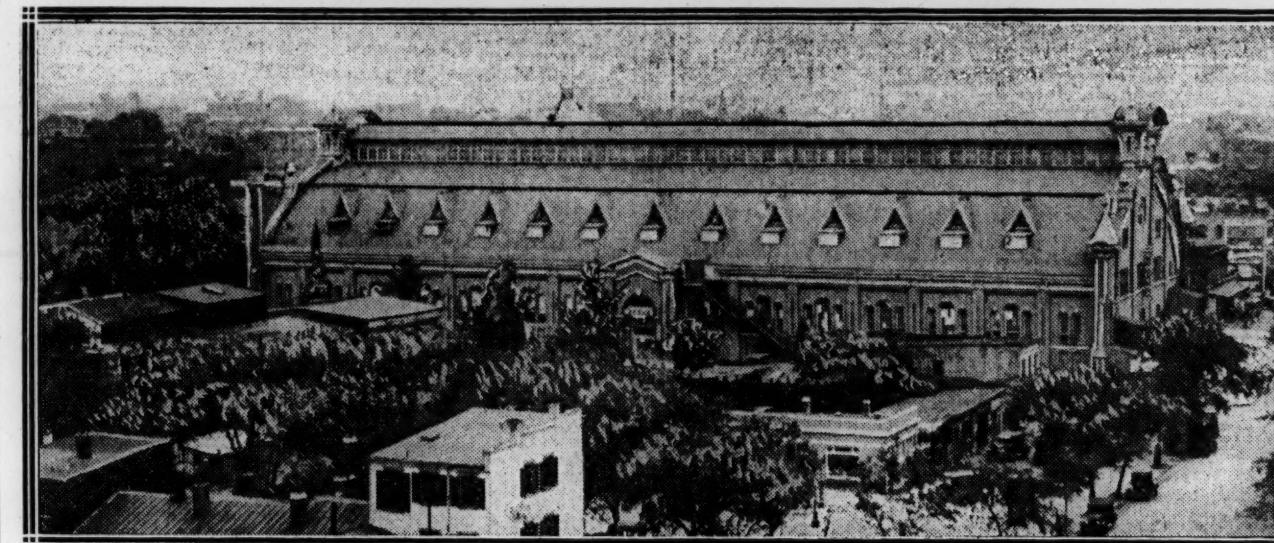
## SITES LEADING IN POST MARKET POLL



Municipal fish wharves and adjacent water front.



Camp Meigs and territory near Fifth and Florida avenue northeast.



Midcity site, near Convention hall.

## Hesse Orders Inquiry Into Police Shooting

Maj. Edwin B. Hesse, superintendent of police, yesterday ordered Inspector L. J. Stoll to investigate reports that Detectives Howard E. Ogle and John W. Wise, of the Fourth precinct, had fired pistol shots at an automobile they were pursuing Sunday morning.

This is the second time this month that Inspector Stoll has had to report on Detective Ogle. The last occasion involved a chase of an alleged rumrunner in which shots were exchanged between quarry and pursuers. Ogle was exonerated. Inspector Stoll had not reported to Maj. Hesse on the new investigation last night, but is expected to do so today.

## HUCKSTER NEAR DEATH FROM ROBBER'S BULLET

Young Man Caught in 5-Block Chase After Shooting Near Market.

## SAYS HE IS A GAMBLER

Shot down by a 21-year-old "holdup" man while he was loading his huckster wagon at Tenth and B streets early yesterday morning, James Malevitis, 42 years old, 310 Tenth street northwest, is in a dying condition in Emergency hospital.

His assailant, James Patrick Thomas, a roomer at 940 E street northwest, was chased five blocks after the shooting before he was found by Park Policeman C. P. Fisher, hiding in the rear of a parked automobile on Pennsylvania avenue near Sixth street. Thomas told police he had been following Malevitis for two days, knowing that he carried large sums on his person.

Malevitis was busy loading his day's wares at 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning, when he was accosted by the man, who mumbled something to him about money. Before the huckster could reply Thomas is said to have drawn a .32-caliber revolver and fired. The bullet pierced Malevitis' right lung and passed completely through his body. Thomas is then said to have run, firing a number of revolver shots at market men who pursued him.

Thomas was taken to the First precinct, where he is being held on three charges of assault with a dangerous weapon. He told police that his home was in New York, although he often comes to this city. According to Detective Kane, of the First precinct, the youth served eight months term there three years ago for shooting a man. He gave his occupation as gambling.

Thomas told police at the First precinct that about two weeks ago he was approached by two policemen near Ninth and Pennsylvania avenue, who started a conversation with him. If either had made a move to arrest him, he is alleged to have said, he would have "blown their brains out."

## COIN EXPERTS VIEW SIGHTS OF CAPITAL

Commissioner Dougherty Extends Greeting to Convention of Numismatists.

Commissioner Proctor L. Dougherty welcomed to the city the 100 delegates to the American Numismatic association convention after the last assessment on which the organization had held the first business session in the Washington hotel.

The association holds a convention each year to stimulate interest in coin collecting and as an aid to history. Its members number more than 1,000 and represent not only this country, but Canada and foreign countries.

Morris Wormser, of New York city, president of the organization, presided in the session. Reports of activities were read by George J. Bauer, of Rochester, second vice president, and H. H. Yawger, of Indiana, Pa., chairman of the board of governors.

Following the session the delegates spent the remainder of the day sightseeing. They visited Mount Vernon, the bureau of engraving and printing and the Congressional library. A score of members have provided exhibits of rare coin collections, which are on display in the rose room of the hotel. At the session tomorrow morning the annual election of officers will be held.

## Dr. Fowler Assigns Mattress Inspector

Dr. William C. Fowler, District health officer, announced yesterday that he has assigned an assistant to learn all there is to know about the mattress business.

This inspector, whose name was not made public, will take charge September 30, of enforcement of the law passed at the last session of Congress, strictly regulating manufacture, sale and repair of mattresses, to keep them sanitary until they enter homes of buyers.

## Housekeeper Sues Estate.

Minnie G. Berisch filed suit yesterday in circuit court against Frank Stetson and Victor O. Wallace, administrators of the estate of Percy Metzger, deceased attorney, to recover \$4,947. Through Attorney Robert Hardison, the plaintiff says that Metzger was indebted to her for services as housekeeper of the apartment property at 1015 Fifteenth street northwest.

## Parole Condemnation Suit Filed.

The first of a new series of condemnation suits filed on behalf of the Rock Creek and Potomac Park commission, was entered on the docket of the United States district court yesterday by District Attorney Peyton Gordon and his assistant James J. O'Leary. The suit seeks the approval of the court for the condemnation of four lots in Georgetown which are needed for the extension of Rock Creek park.

## PLANNERS MAY ASK CONGRESS TO LIFT PRICE LIMITATION

McCarl Rules 25 Per Cent Above Assessment Is Top Cost for Park Land.

## LAW PREVAILS IN ANY METHOD OF PURCHASE

Ruling Seriously Affects the Board's \$600,000 Appropriation for Tracts.

That the National Capital park and planning commission will seek to have Congress remove its restriction on purchasing park property by condemnation and permit a more liberal interpretation of the law limiting land purchases to a price 25 per cent in excess of their assessed value when condemnations are involved, was indicated yesterday at commission headquarters.

Following the interpretation of Comptroller General McCarl yesterday, which was unfavorable to the commission's park planning program, Maj. U. S. Grant 3d, executive officer of the commission, said that he would recommend to the commission that it appeal to Congress for legislation clearing the matter and permitting it to pay a higher price for land that is condemned.

"My belief is that Congress intended to prevent administrative officers from buying on a bargain, property of a value above what it was worth, and it restricted bargaining powers by putting on limitations," Maj. Grant said. "On the other hand, in condemnation, the court fixes the value of the property, and presumably that is its actual value, and it probably will have to be paid, no matter how it compares with assessors' opinions several years before."

## Interpretation Law to Letter.

The move of the commission to have the congressional limitation exempted in cases involving acquisition of land desired for parks, in case of condemnation procedure met with failure, when Mr. McCarl ruled adversely, deciding that the act of Congress must be followed to the letter in both cases, acquisition by agreement or with condemnation proceedings involved.

The commission had experienced trouble in obtaining lands for playgrounds and parks under the congressional restriction on purchase agreement and sought an opinion on whether it could buy property if in condemnation proceedings the court fixed a price above the 25 per cent limit.

The comptroller ruled that Congress has sole power with regard to appropriations and that the only means of relief would be resubmission of the question to Congress. The decision was somewhat similar to one of the comptroller's last week, in which he refused to review the matter of a \$154,000 fund reappropriated for school sites and which the District commissioners will probably appeal to Congress.

## Values Above Assessments.

It was explained by park and planning commission officials that land values have advanced since the last assessment on which the 25 per cent margin is based and that the sum of \$450,000, remainder of this year's park appropriation of \$600,000 for park-land purchase, is seriously affected by McCarl's decision.

Comptroller General McCarl in his decision held that the general intent of the proviso in the appropriation act was clear and that Congress intended to limit the price to be paid for lands acquired.

While the proviso does not necessarily restrict the limitation to the acquisition of land by agreement as distinguished from condemnation, he felt that the new law was rather justifiable than an exception was intended to the limitation it would have been expressed clearly to the effect that it would not have applied to condemnation.

## Cites Congress' Intent.

He ruled that the language was not obscure, but broad and comprehensive regarding the intent, and that there should be a limit on the purchase price and as to such limit the purchase price is the amount paid, whether through agreement or by condemnation; that there was no authority to narrow the purchase price to the single method of acquisition by agreement.

It was explained that the legislative record disclosed that Congress was concerned seriously regarding amounts paid for land, it being shown that approximately 60 per cent over the assessed value had been paid for 20 parcels for park purposes. This concern, he cited, was expressed repeatedly and finally embodied in the 25 per cent restriction.

## Estate Willed to Family.

Alexander M. Willingham, who died August 1, bequeathed to his son, Leonard C. Willingham, the premises at 1242 Maryland avenue northeast together with its contents and his benefits from the Typographical Union, according to the will filed yesterday in probate court. Another son, Frank C. Willingham, is given \$2,500 and a legacy of \$1,000 is provided for Robert L. Willingham, brother of the testator. Mrs. L. H. Straub is given \$100, and the balance of the estate is devised to the son, Leonard.

## Second Wife Wins Divorce.

Mrs. Catherine Vidal, wife No. 2 of Enrique Vidal, was awarded a final decree yesterday by Justice Suddins in equity court annulling her marriage of June 22, 1915, on the ground that Vidal's first wife, Tomaso C. Vidal, of the Philippines Islands, was still alive and undivorced from him. The decree allows her \$40 a month for the support of two children. Attorney Clyde B. Lanham appeared for her.